

# Various BJT Amplifiers (H.18)

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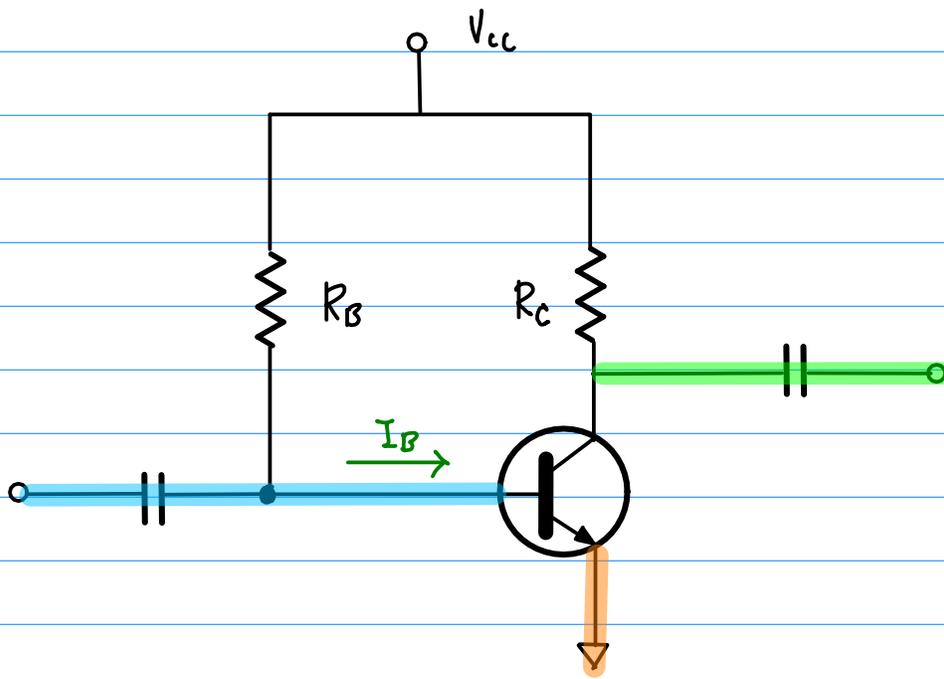
**Electronic Devices and Circuit Theory (10th ed)**

	$Z_i$	$Z_o$	$A_v$	$A_i$
1. Fixed Bias	$\beta r_e$	$R_c$	$-\frac{R_c}{r_e}$	$\beta$
2. Voltage Divider Bias	$R_1 \parallel R_2 \parallel \beta r_e$	$R_c$	$-\frac{R_c}{r_e}$	$\frac{\beta (R_1 \parallel R_2)}{R_1 \parallel R_2 + \beta r_e}$
3. Unbypass Emitter Bias	$R_B \parallel \beta R_E$	$R_c$	$-\frac{R_c}{R_E}$	$-\frac{\beta R_B}{R_B + \beta(r_e + R_E)}$
4. Emitter Follower	$R_B \parallel \beta R_E$	$r_e$	1	$-\frac{\beta R_B}{R_B + \beta(r_e + R_E)}$
5. Common Base	$r_e$	$R_c$	$\frac{R_c}{r_e}$	-1
6. Collector Feedback	$\frac{r_e}{1/\beta + R_c/R_F}$	$R_c \parallel R_F$	$-\frac{R_c}{r_e}$	$\frac{R_F}{R_c}$

	$Z_i$	$Z_o$	$A_v$	$A_i$
1. Fixed Bias	Med (1k $\Omega$ )	Med (2k $\Omega$ )	High (-200)	High (100)
2. Voltage Divider Bias	Med (1k $\Omega$ )	Med (2k $\Omega$ )	High (-200)	High (50)
3. Unbypass Emitter Bias	High (100k $\Omega$ )	Med (2k $\Omega$ )	Low (-5)	High (50)
4. Emitter Follower	High (100k $\Omega$ )	Low (20 $\Omega$ )	Low (1)	High (-50)
5. Common Base	Low (20 $\Omega$ )	Med (2k $\Omega$ )	High (200)	Low (-1)
6. Collector Feedback	Med (1k $\Omega$ )	Med (2k $\Omega$ )	High (-200)	High (50)

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# Fixed Bias



$$Z_i = R_B \parallel \beta r_e' \cong \beta r_e' \quad \text{Medium (1 k}\Omega\text{)}$$

$$R_B \gg 10 \beta r_e'$$

$$Z_o = R_C \parallel r_o \cong R_C \quad \text{Medium (2 k}\Omega\text{)}$$

$$r_o \gg 10 R_C$$

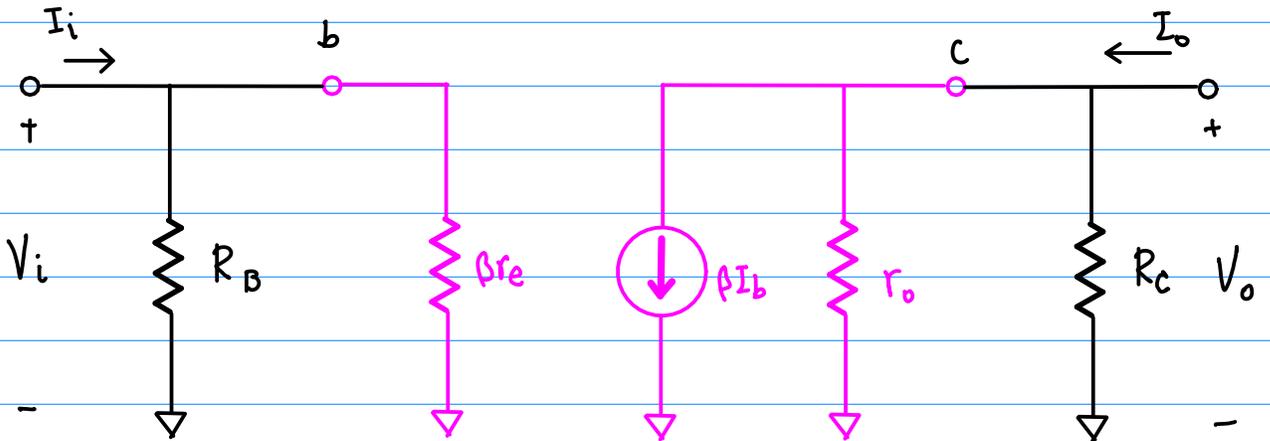
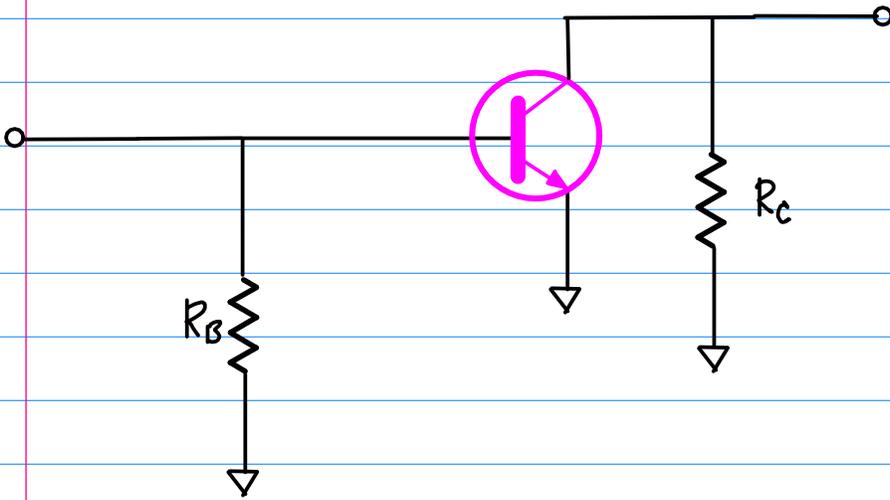
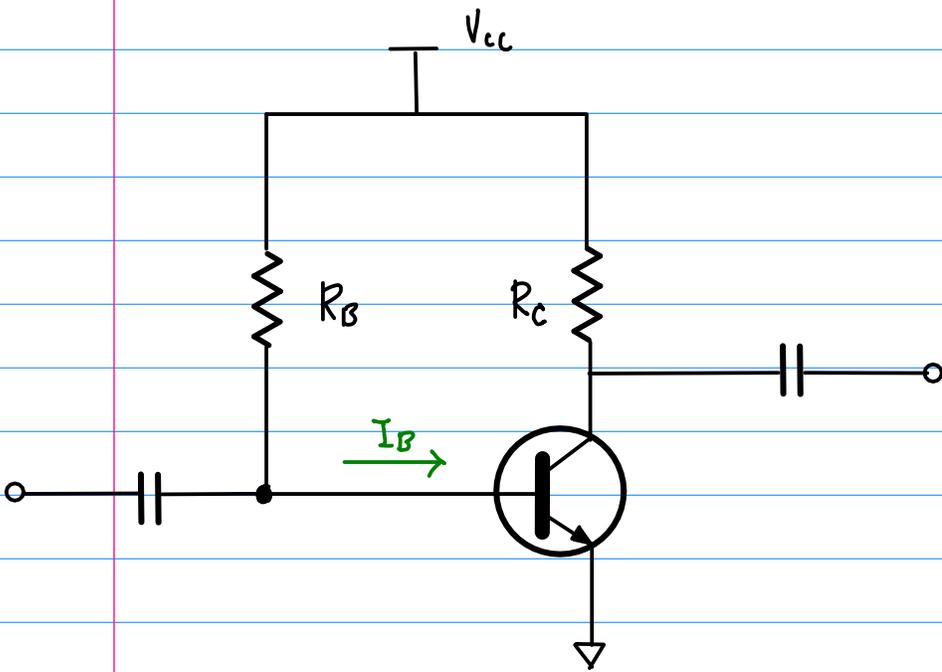
$$A_v = - \frac{(R_C \parallel r_o)}{r_e} \cong - \frac{R_C}{r_e} \quad \text{High (-200)}$$

$$r_o \gg 10 R_C$$

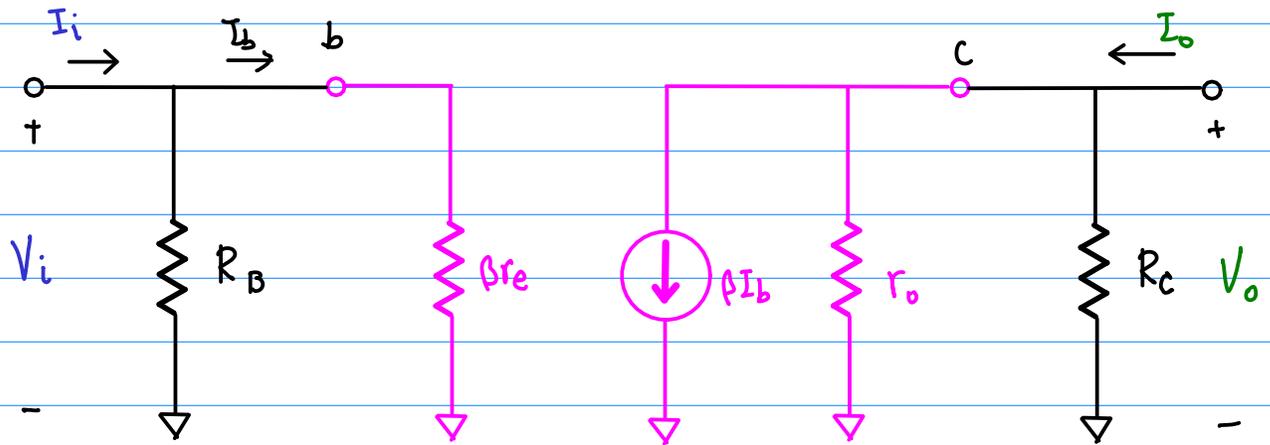
$$A_i = \frac{\beta R_B r_o}{(r_o + R_C)(R_B + \beta r_e)} \cong \beta \quad \text{High (100)}$$

$$R_B \gg 10 \beta r_e' \quad r_o \gg 10 R_C$$

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$$Z_i = R_B \parallel \beta r_e \cong \beta r_e \quad (R_B > 10\beta r_e)$$

$$Z_o = R_C \parallel r_o \cong R_C \quad (R_C > 10r_o)$$

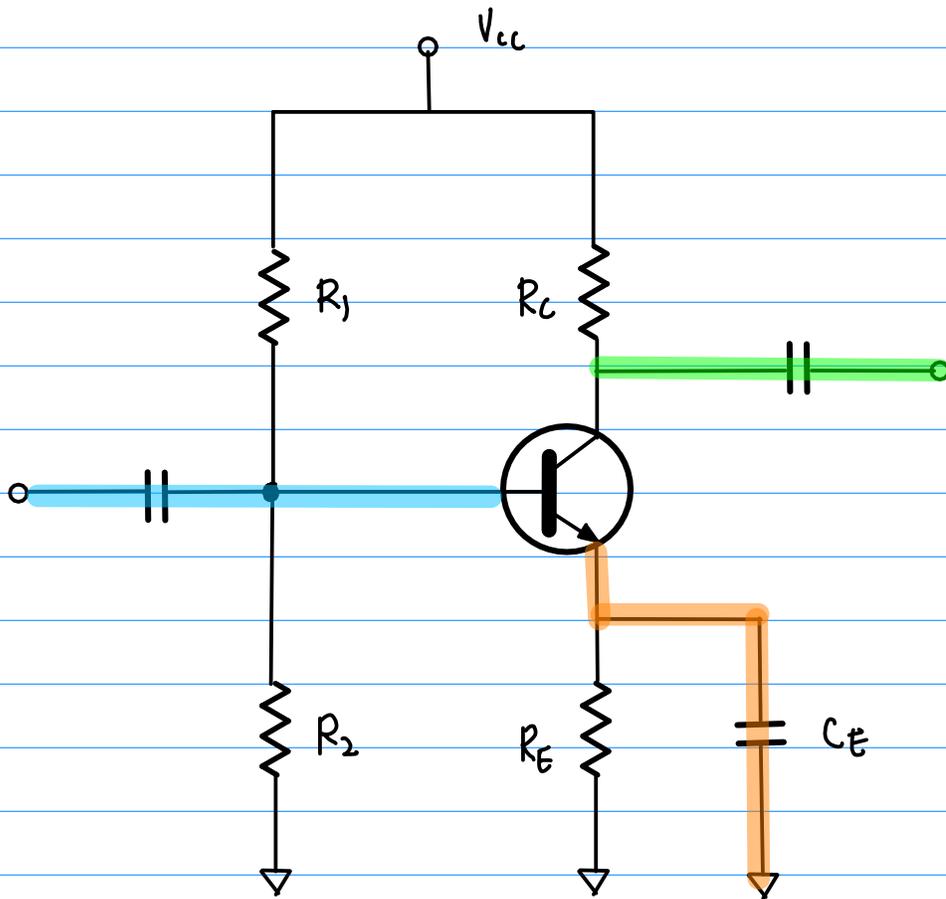
$$V_o = -\beta I_b (R_C \parallel r_o)$$

$$V_i = I_b \cdot \beta r_e$$

$$A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_i} = - \frac{R_C \parallel r_o}{r_e} \cong - \frac{R_C}{r_e} \quad (R_C > 10r_o)$$

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# Voltage Divider Bias



$$Z_i = R_1 \parallel R_2 \parallel \beta r_e'$$

Medium ( $1k\Omega$ )

$$Z_o = R_C \parallel r_o \cong R_C$$

Medium ( $2k\Omega$ )

$$r_o \geq 10 R_C$$

$$A_v = - \frac{R_C \parallel r_o}{r_e'} \cong - \frac{R_C}{r_e'} \quad r_o \geq 10 R_C$$

High ( $-200$ )

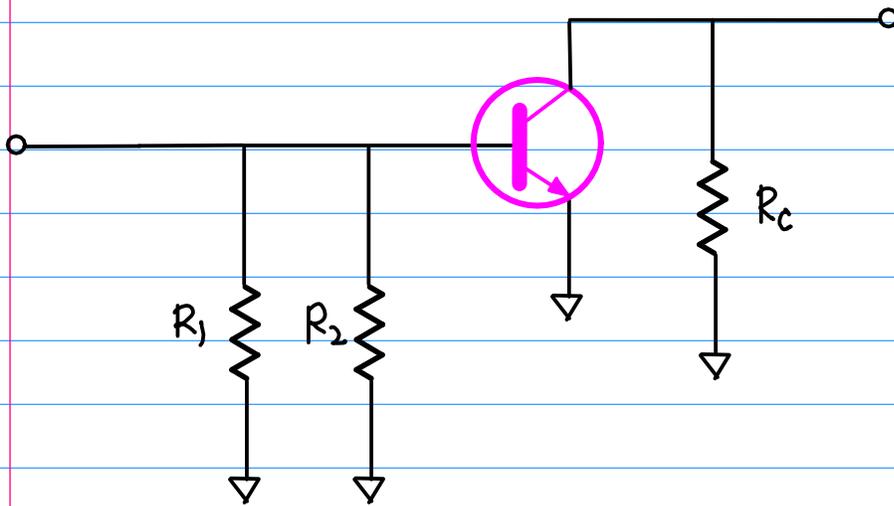
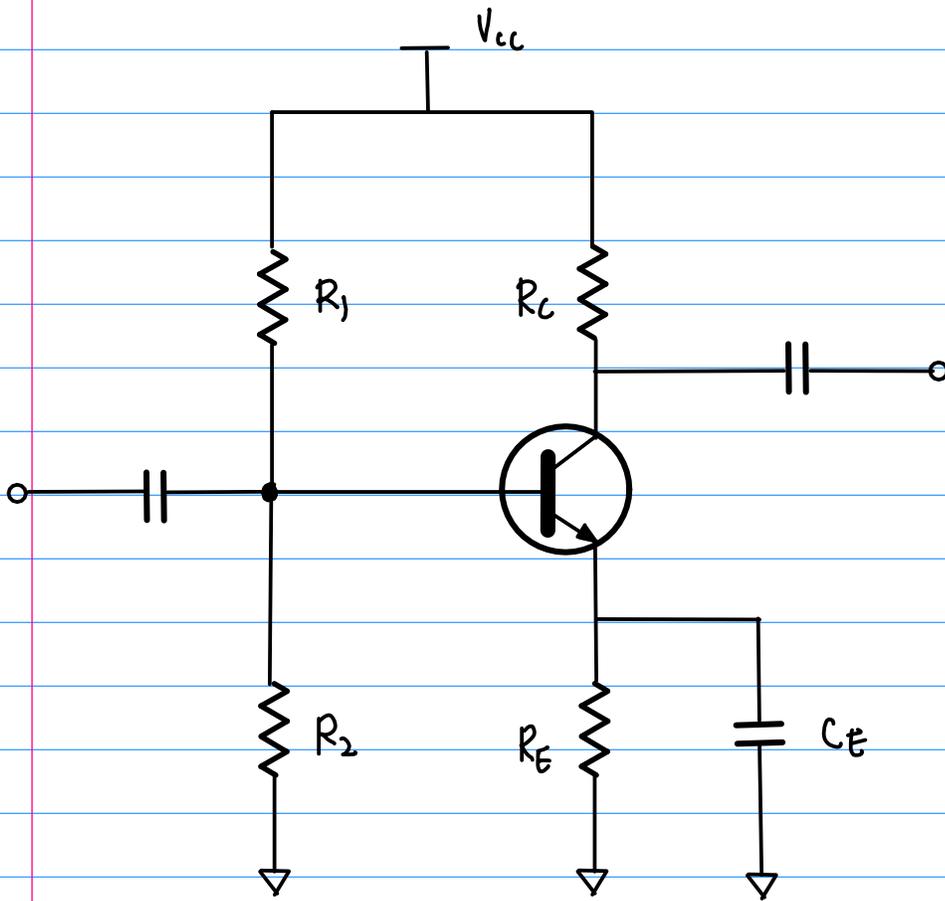
$$A_i = \frac{\beta (R_1 \parallel R_2) r_o}{(r_o + R_C) (R_1 \parallel R_2 + \beta r_e')} \cong \frac{\beta (R_1 \parallel R_2)}{R_1 \parallel R_2 + \beta r_e'}$$

High ( $-50$ )

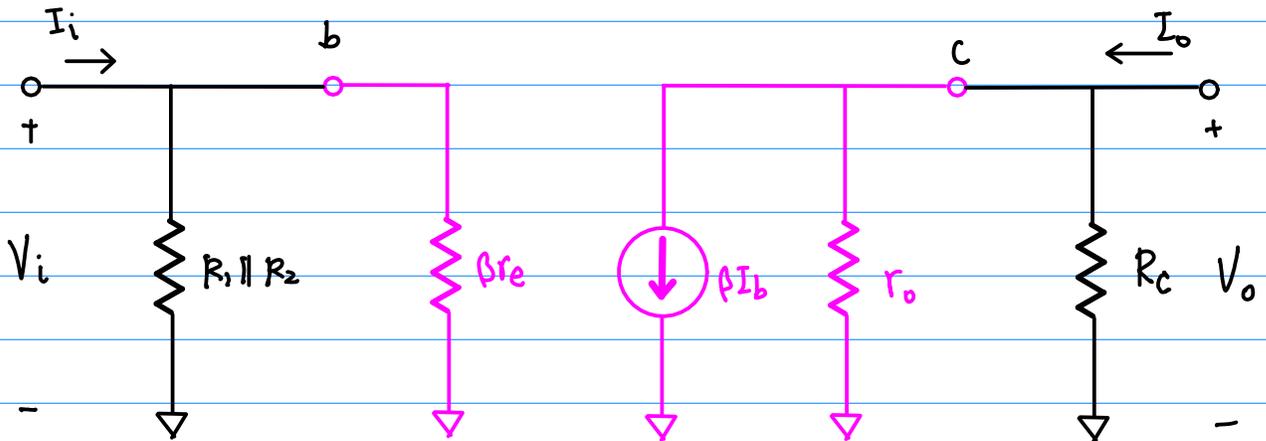
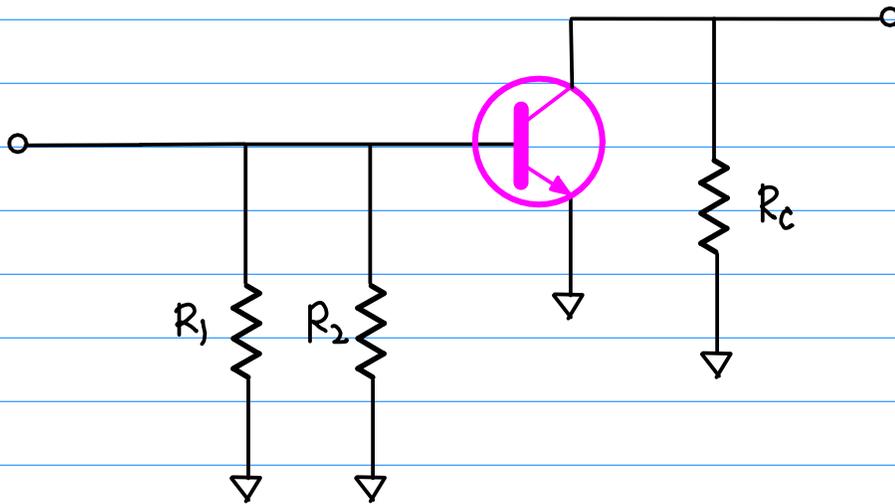
$$r_o \geq 10 R_C$$

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$$Z_i = R_1 \parallel R_2 \parallel \beta r_e$$

$$Z_o = R_c \parallel r_o \cong R_c \quad (r_o > 10 R_c)$$

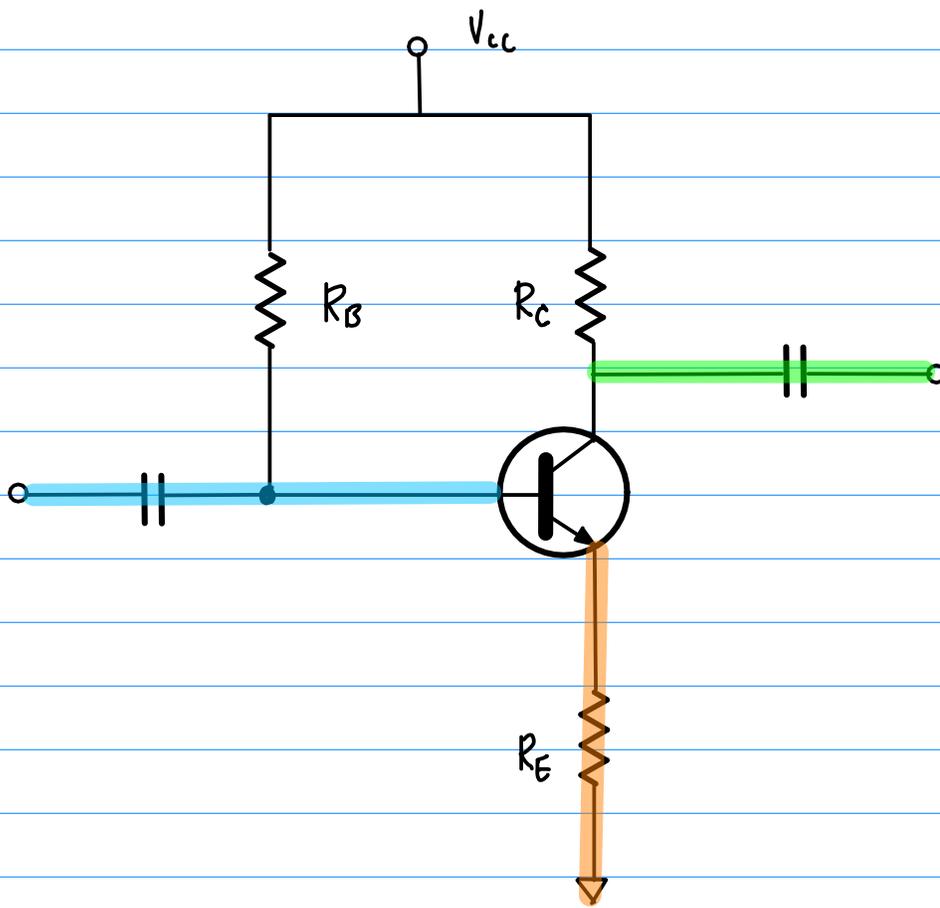
$$V_o = -(\beta I_b) (R_c \parallel r_o)$$

$$V_i = (I_b) (\beta r_e)$$

$$A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_i} = -\frac{R_c \parallel r_o}{r_e} \cong -\frac{R_c}{r_e} \quad (r_o > 10 R_c)$$

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## Unbypassed Emitter Bias



$$Z_i = R_B \parallel \beta(r_e' + R_E) \cong R_B \parallel \beta R_E \quad \text{High (100 k}\Omega\text{)}$$

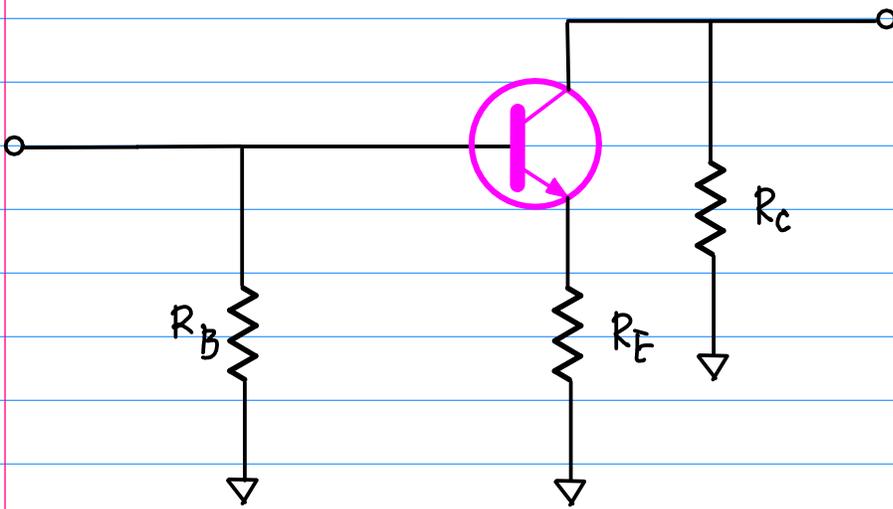
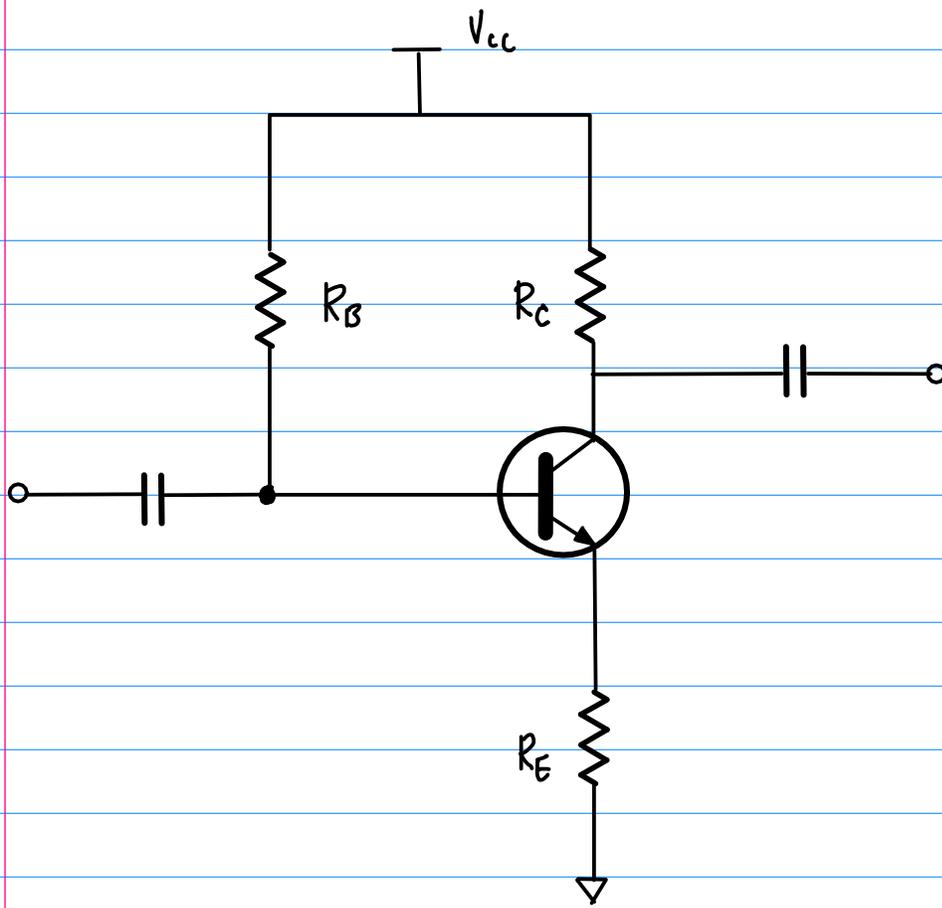
$R_E \gg r_e'$

$$Z_o = R_C \quad \text{Medium (2 k}\Omega\text{)}$$

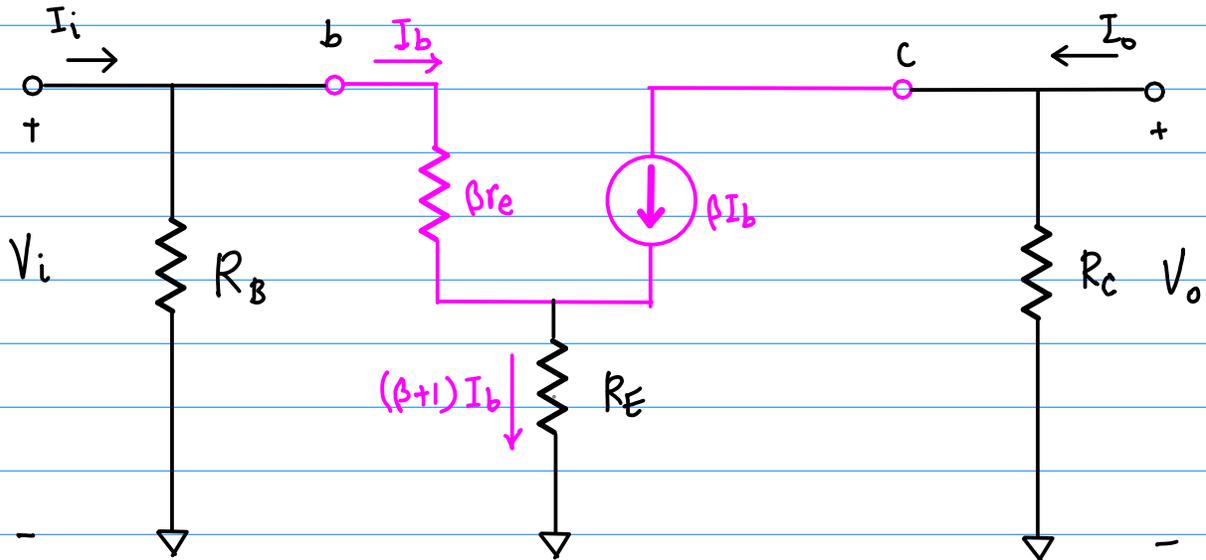
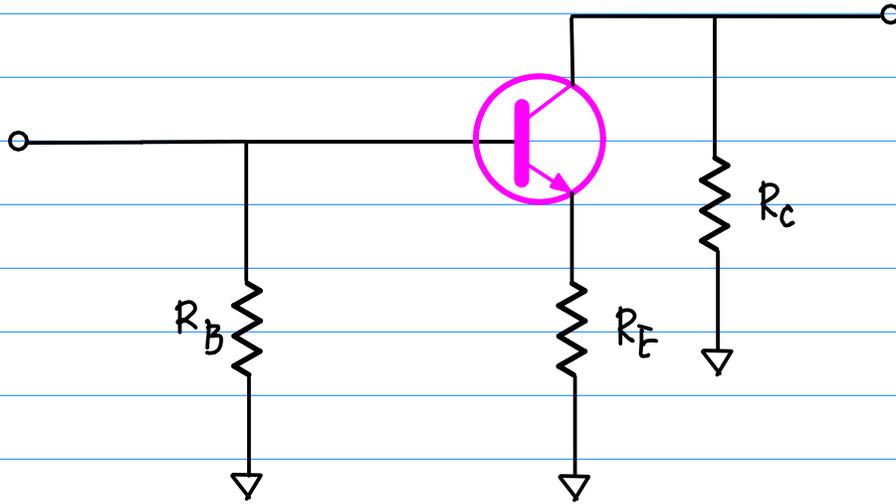
$$A_v = - \frac{R_C}{r_e' + R_E} \cong - \frac{R_C}{R_E} \quad \text{Low (-5)}$$

$$A_i = \frac{\beta R_B}{R_B + \beta(r_e' + R_E)} \quad \text{High (50)}$$

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$$V_i = I_b (\beta r_e) + (\beta + 1) I_b R_E$$

$$Z_b = \frac{V_i}{I_b} = \beta r_e + (\beta + 1) R_E \cong \beta (r_e + R_E) \cong \beta R_E$$

$$Z_i = R_B \parallel Z_b \cong R_B \parallel \beta (r_e + R_E) \cong R_B \parallel \beta R_E$$

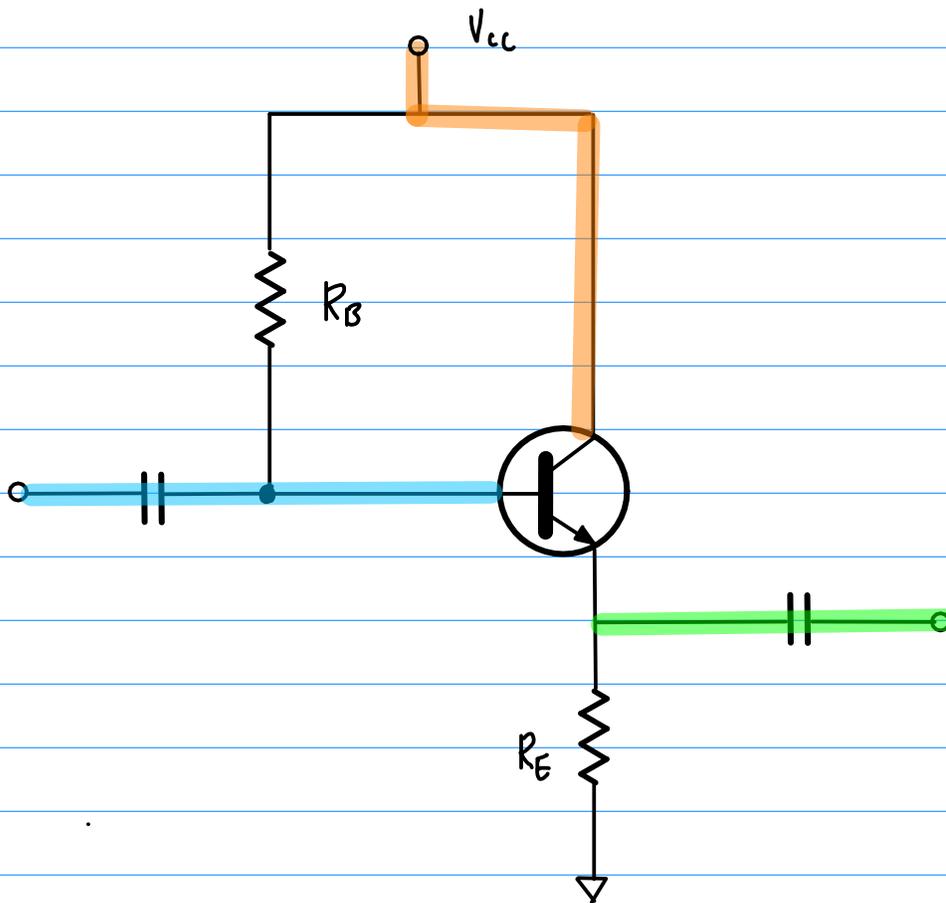
$$Z_o = R_C$$

$$V_o = -\beta I_b R_C = -\beta \left( \frac{V_i}{Z_b} \right) R_C$$

$$A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_i} = -\frac{\beta R_C}{Z_b} = -\frac{\beta R_C}{\beta (r_e + R_E)} = -\frac{R_C}{r_e + R_E} \cong -\frac{R_C}{R_E}$$

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# Emitter Follower



$$Z_i = R_B \parallel \beta(r_e' + R_E) \cong R_B \parallel \beta R_E \quad \text{High (100 k}\Omega\text{)}$$

$R_E \gg r_e'$

$$Z_o = R_E \parallel r_e' \cong r_e' \quad \text{Low (20 }\Omega\text{)}$$

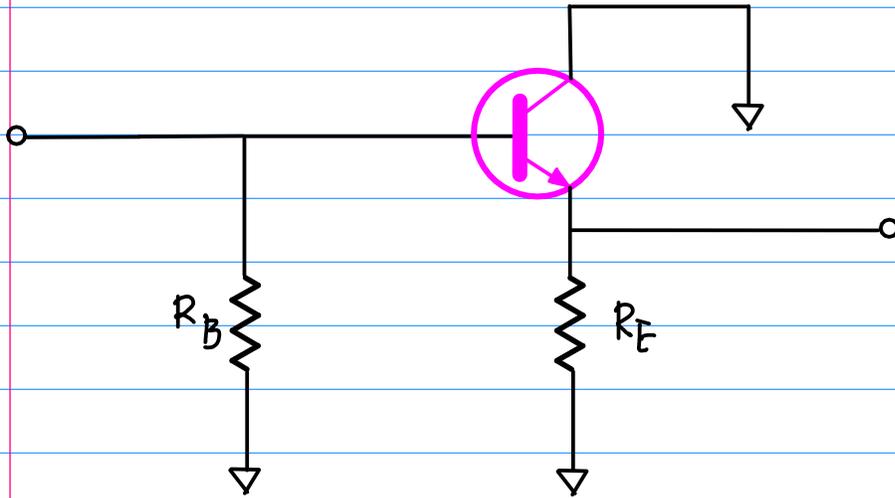
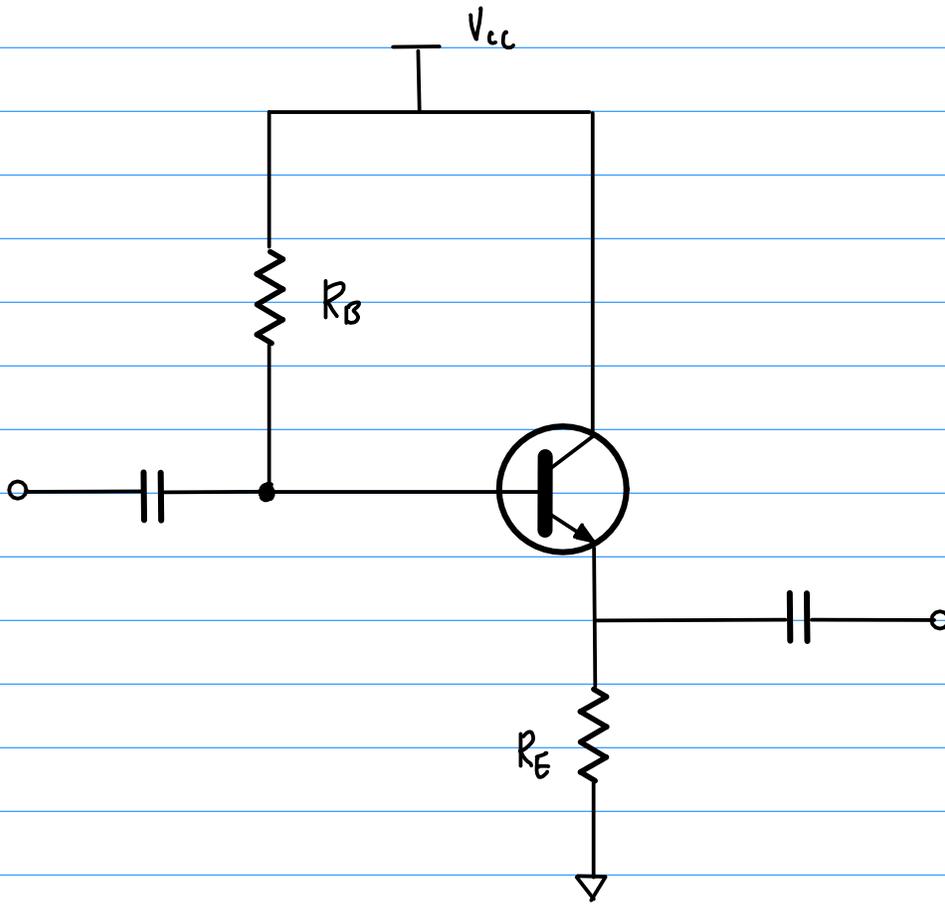
$R_E \gg r_e'$

$$A_v = \frac{R_E}{r_e' + R_E} \cong 1 \quad \text{Low (1)}$$

$$A_i = \frac{\beta R_B}{R_B + \beta(r_e' + R_E)} \quad \text{High (50)}$$

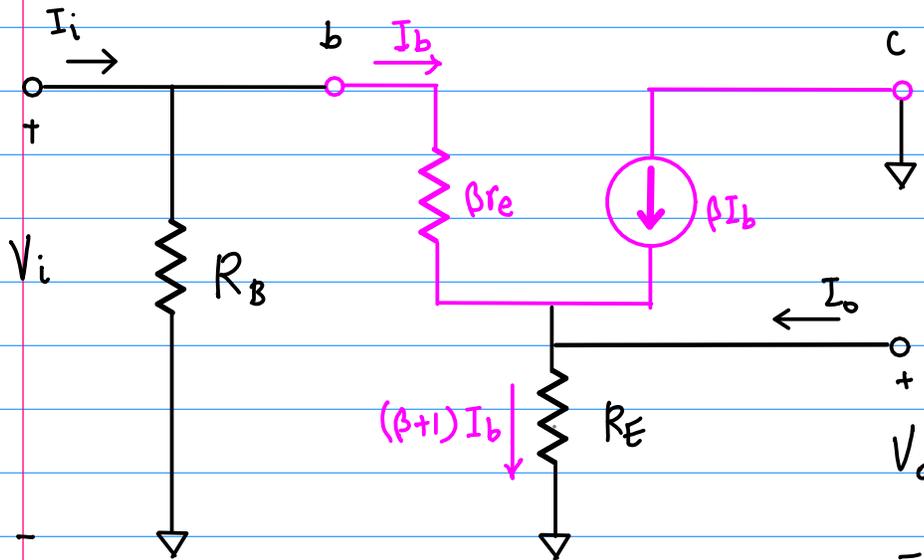
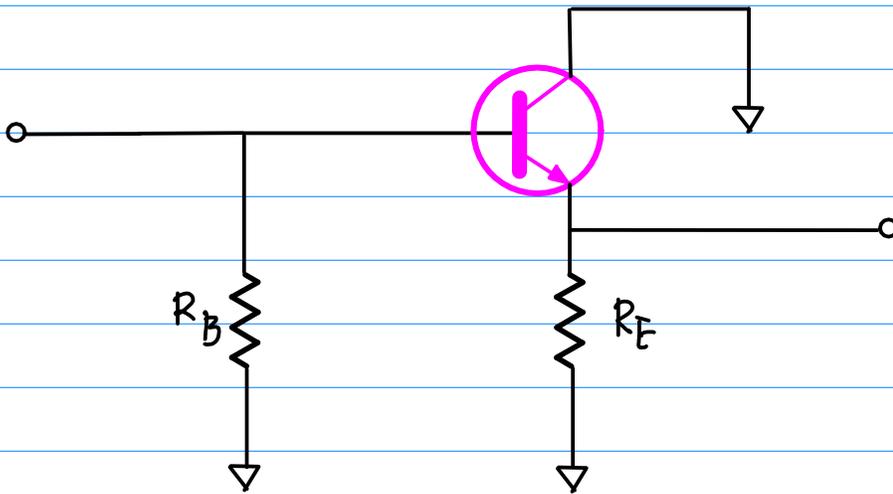
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$$V_i = I_b (\beta r_e) + (\beta+1) I_b R_E$$

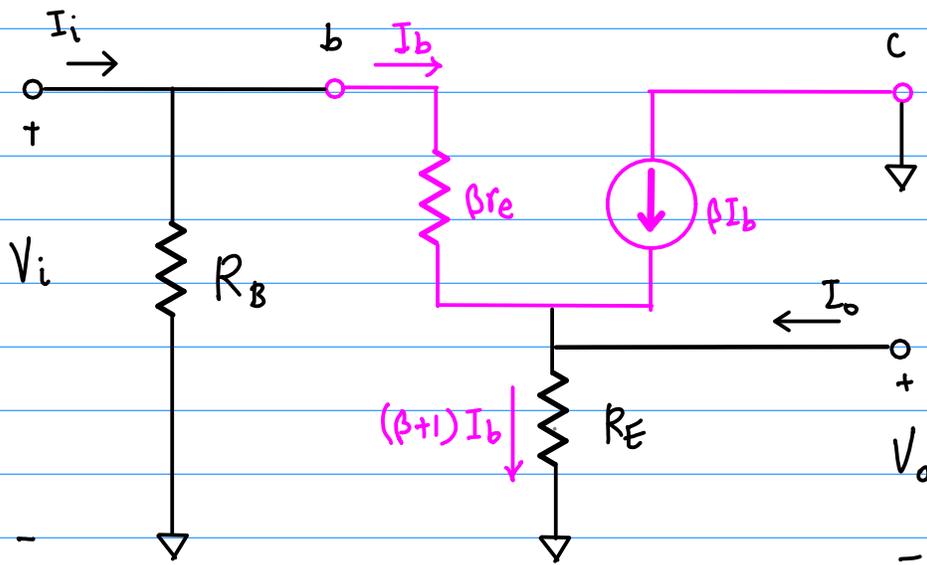
$$Z_b = \frac{V_i}{I_b} = \beta r_e + (\beta+1) R_E \cong \beta (r_e + R_E) \cong \beta R_E$$

$$Z_i = R_B \parallel Z_b \cong R_B \parallel \beta (r_e + R_E) \cong R_B \parallel \beta R_E$$

$Z_o \neq R_c$

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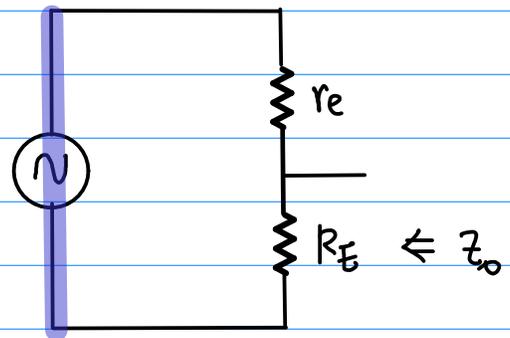
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$$I_b = \frac{V_i}{Z_b} \quad (\beta+1)I_b = (\beta+1) \frac{V_i}{Z_b}$$

$$I_e = \frac{(\beta+1) V_i}{\beta r_e + (\beta+1) R_E} = \frac{V_i}{(\beta/\beta+1) r_e + R_E} \cong \frac{V_i}{r_e + R_E}$$

$$I_e = \frac{V_i}{r_e + R_E}$$



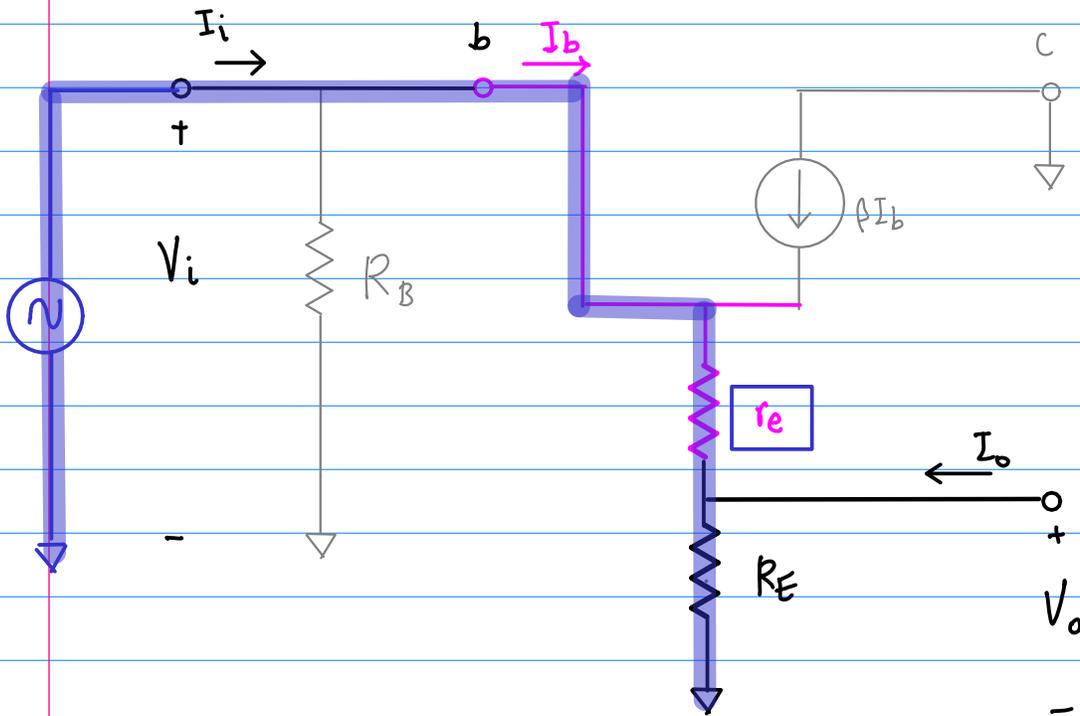
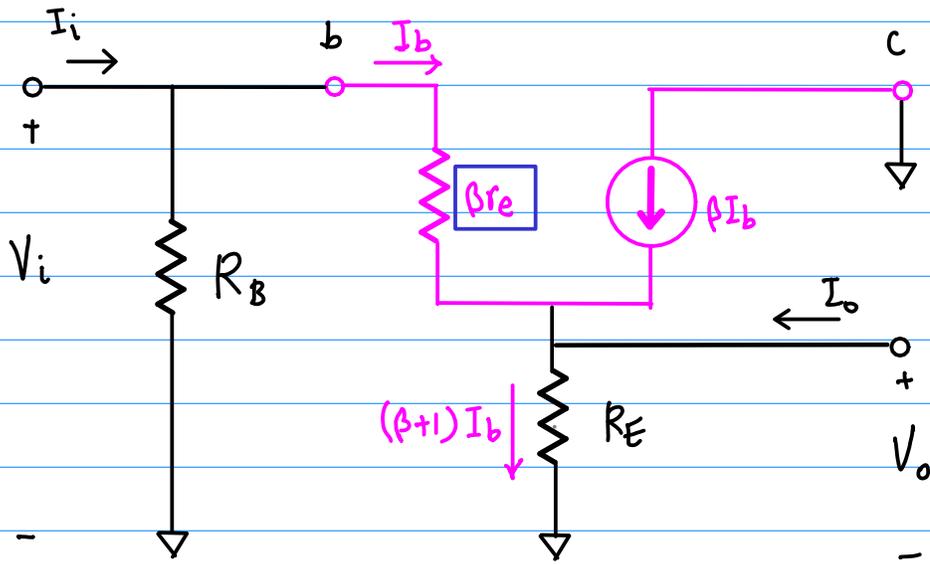
$$Z_o = R_E \parallel r_e \cong r_e$$

$$V_o = \frac{R_E}{r_e + R_E} V_i$$

$$A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_i} = \frac{R_E}{r_e + R_E} \cong 1$$

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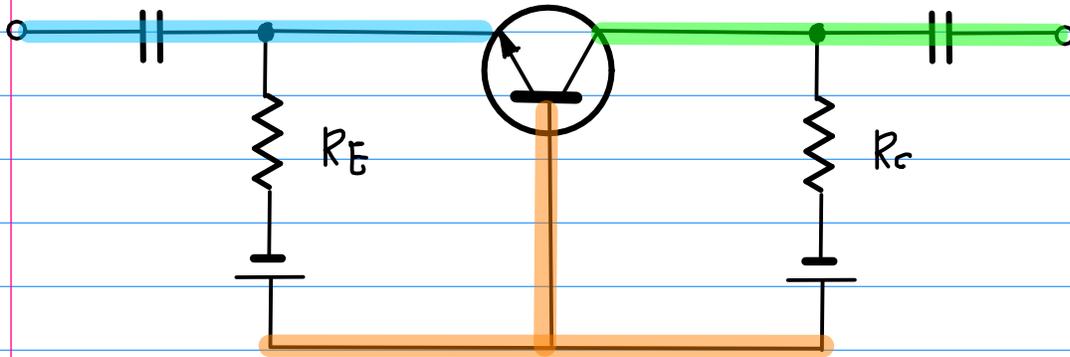
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# Common Base



$$Z_i = R_E \parallel r_e' \cong r_e'$$

Low (20  $\Omega$ )

$$Z_o = R_C$$

Medium (2 k $\Omega$ )

$$A_v = \frac{R_C}{r_e'}$$

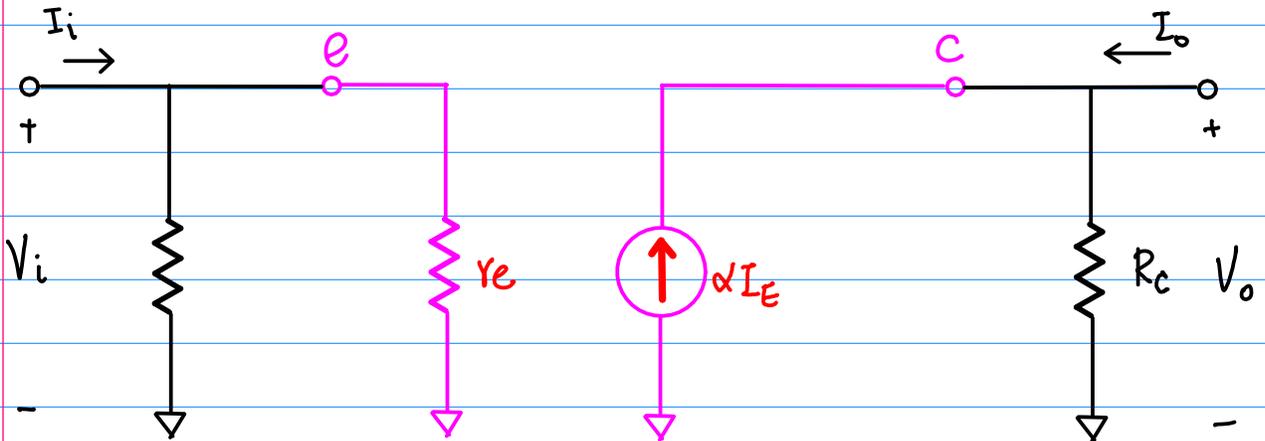
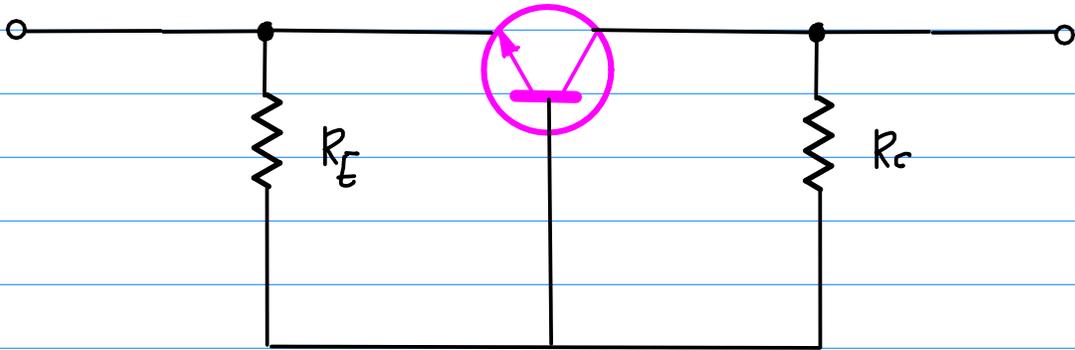
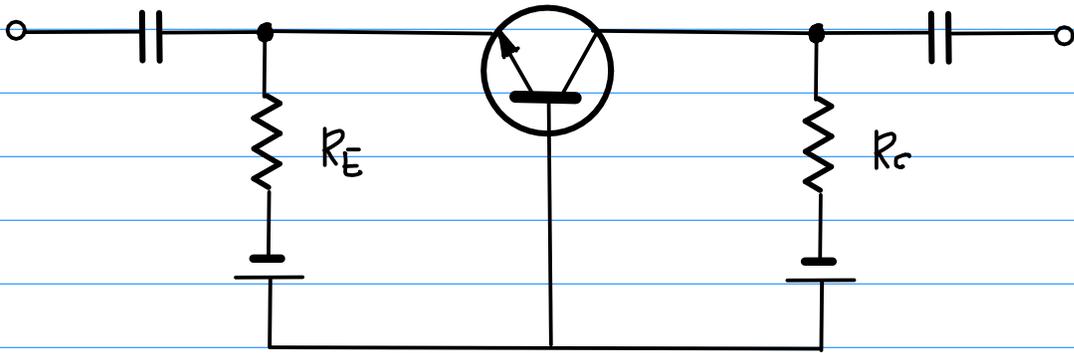
High (200)

$$A_i = 1$$

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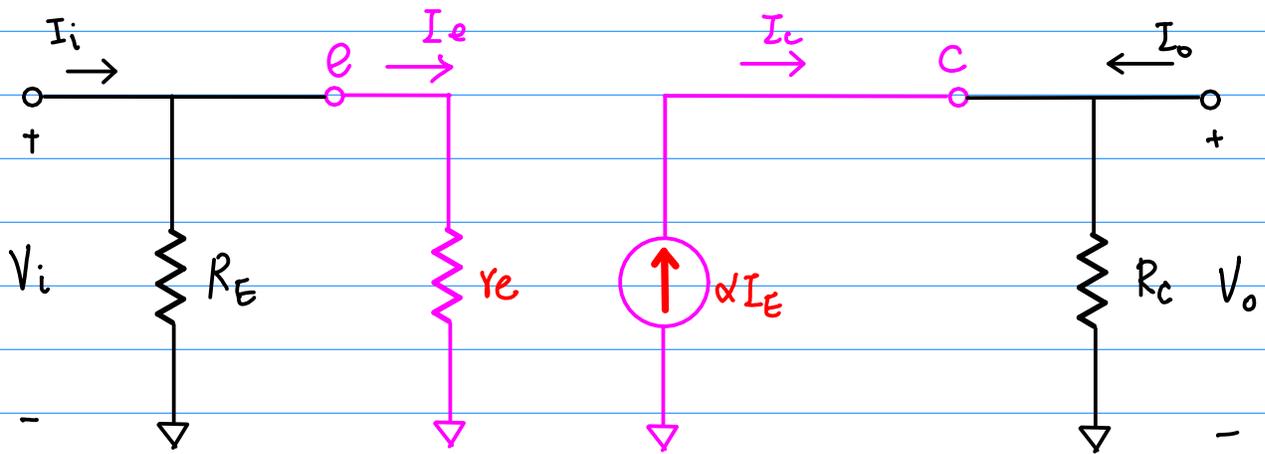
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$$Z_i = R_E \parallel r_e$$

$$Z_o = R_C$$

$$V_o = -(-I_c) R_C = \alpha I_e R_C$$

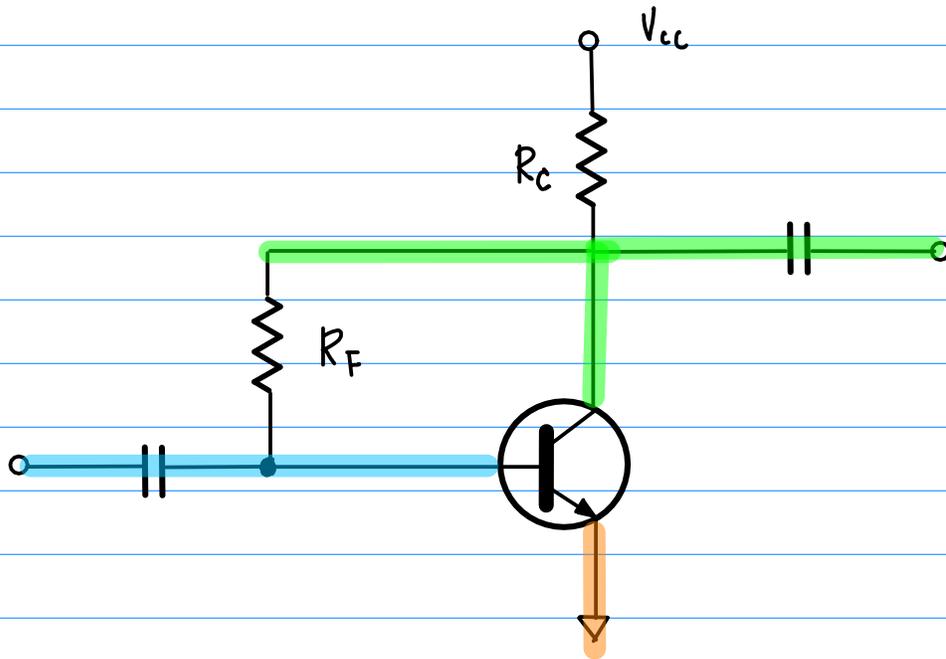
$$V_i = I_e r_e$$

$$A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_i} = \frac{\alpha R_C}{r_e} \approx \frac{R_C}{r_e}$$

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# Collector Feedback



$$Z_i = \frac{r'_e}{\frac{1}{\beta} + \frac{R_C}{R_F}}$$

$$(r_o \gg 10 R_C)$$

Medium ( $1k\Omega$ )

$$Z_o = R_C \parallel R_F$$

$$(r_o \gg 10 R_C)$$

Medium ( $2k\Omega$ )

$$A_v = - \frac{R_C}{r'_e}$$

$$r_o \gg 10 R_C, R_F \gg R_C$$

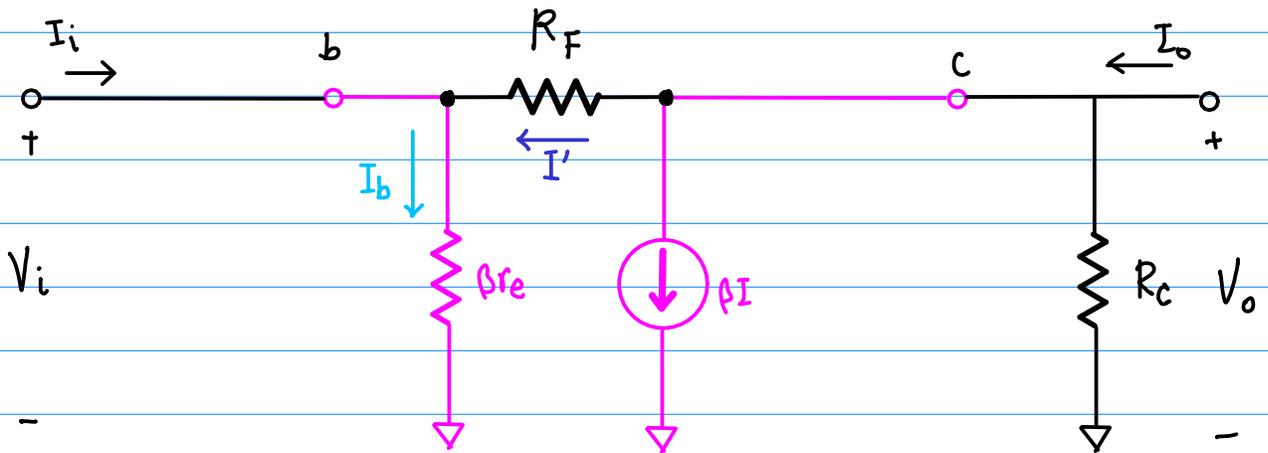
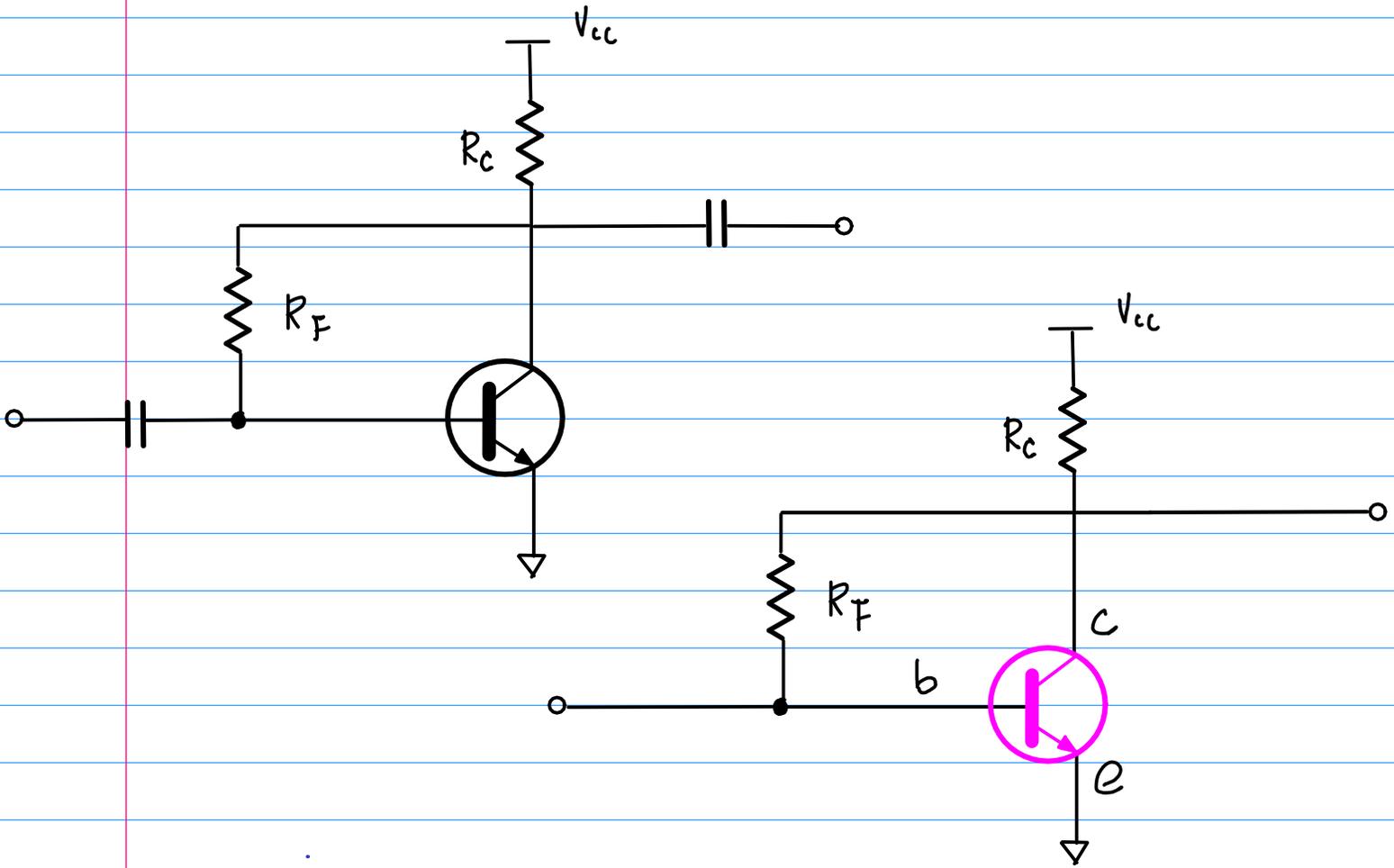
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$$A_i = \frac{\beta R_F}{R_F + \beta R_C} \approx \frac{R_F}{R_C}$$

High ( $50$ )

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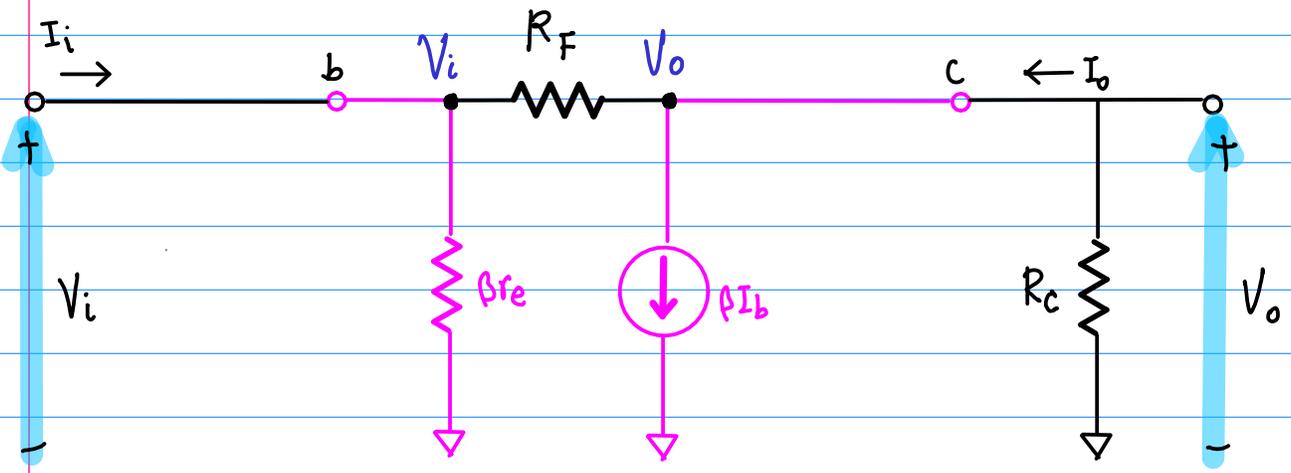
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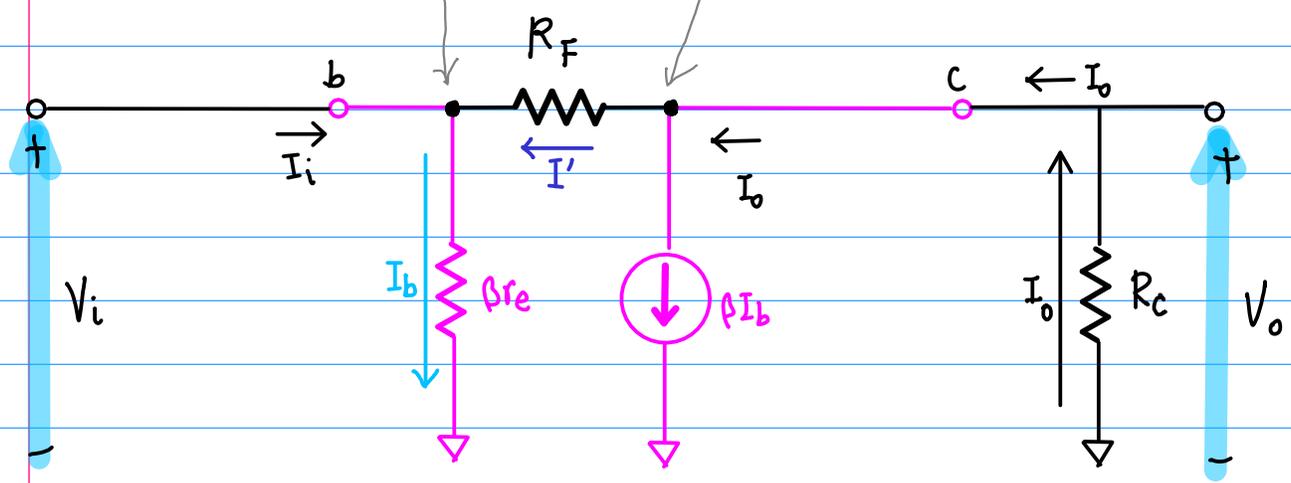
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$$Z_i = \frac{V_i}{I_i}$$



$I_b = I_i + I'$   
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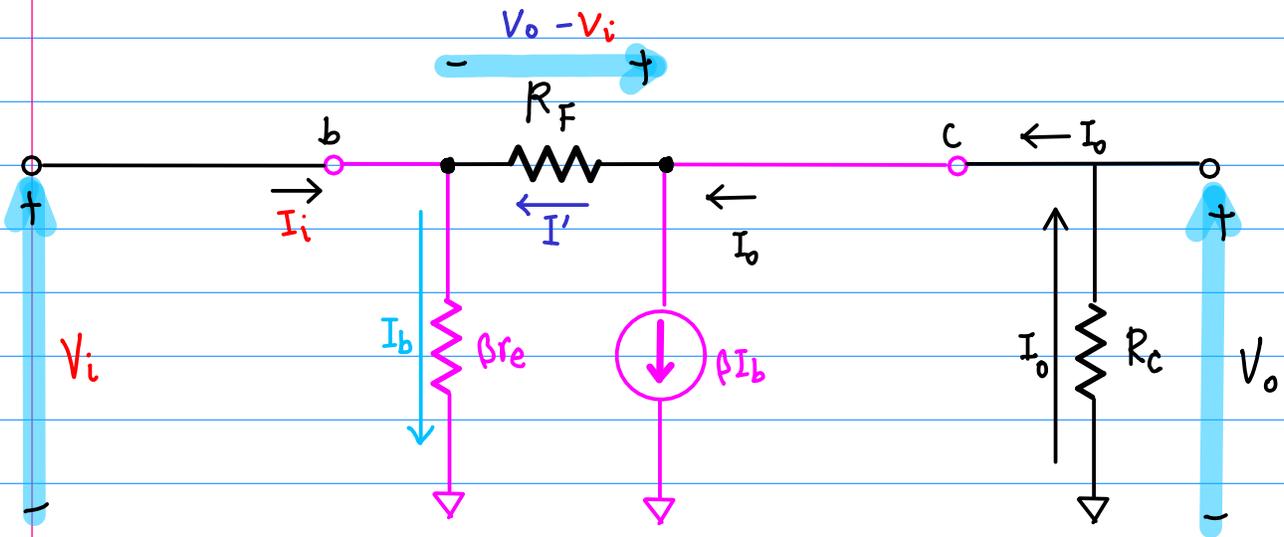
$I' + \beta I_b = I_o$   
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$$V_i = \beta I_b r_e$$

$$V_o = -I_o R_c = -\beta I_b R_c$$

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$$V_i = \beta I_b r_e$$

$$V_o = -I_o R_c = -\beta I_b R_c$$

$$I_b = I_i + I'$$

$$I' = \frac{V_o - V_i}{R_F}$$

$$I_b = I_i + \frac{V_o - V_i}{R_F}$$

$$V_i = \beta I_b r_e = \beta (I_i + I') r_e = \beta \left( I_i + \frac{V_o - V_i}{R_F} \right) r_e$$

$$\begin{aligned} V_o - V_i &= -V_i + V_o = -V_i \left( 1 - \frac{V_o}{V_i} \right) \\ &= -V_i \left( 1 + \frac{\beta R_c}{\beta I_b r_e} \right) \\ &= -V_i \left( 1 + \frac{R_c}{r_e} \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$V_i = \beta \left( I_i + \frac{V_o - V_i}{R_F} \right) r_e = \beta \left( I_i - \frac{V_i}{R_F} \left( 1 + \frac{R_c}{r_e} \right) \right) r_e$$

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$$V_i = \beta \left( I_i + \frac{V_o - V_i}{R_F} \right) r_e = \beta \left( I_i - \frac{V_i}{R_F} \left( 1 + \frac{R_c}{r_e} \right) \right) r_e$$

$$V_i = I_i \beta r_e - \beta r_e \cdot \frac{V_i}{R_F} \left( 1 + \frac{R_c}{r_e} \right)$$

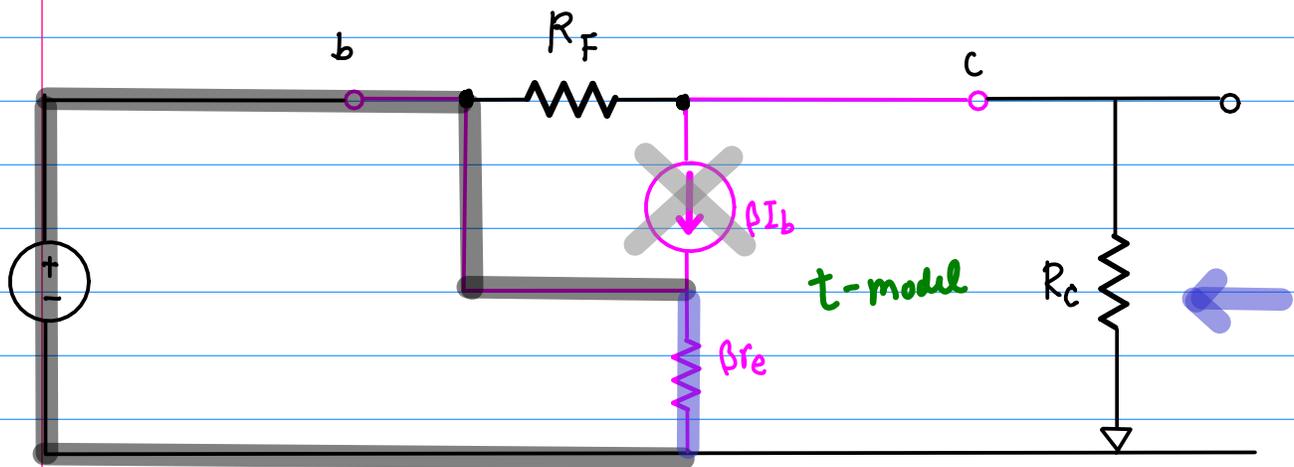
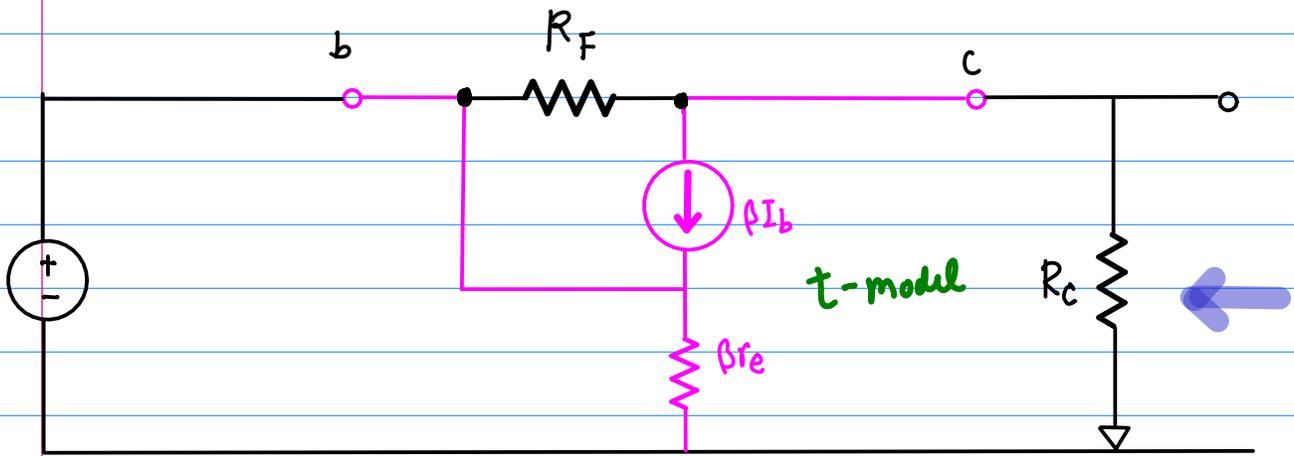
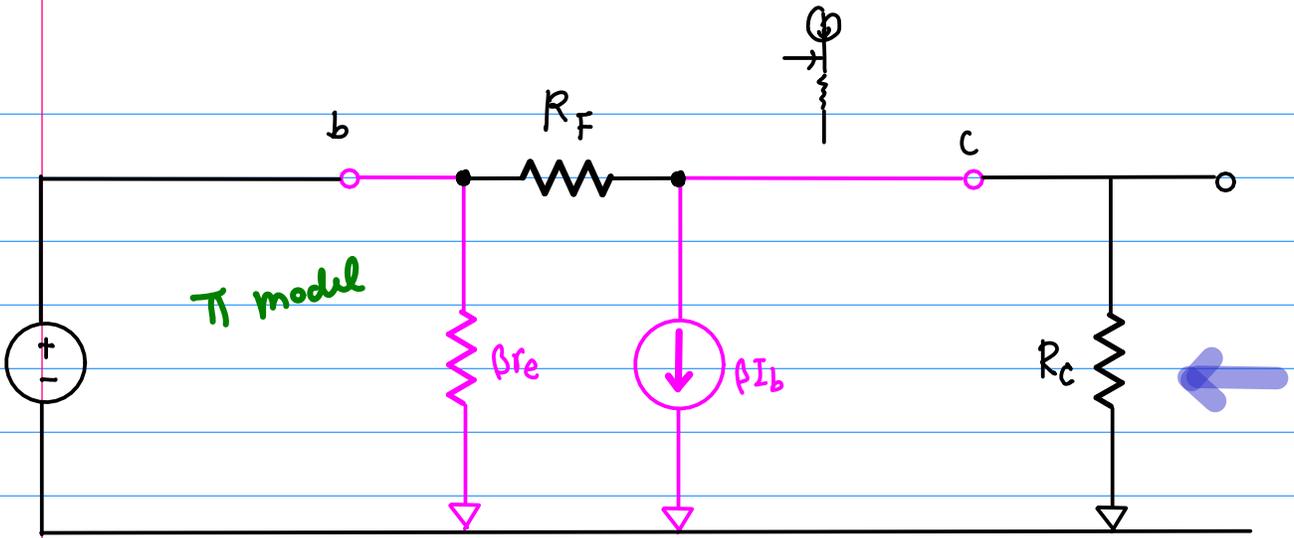
$$V_i \left[ 1 + \frac{\beta r_e}{R_F} \left( 1 + \frac{R_c}{r_e} \right) \right] = I_i \beta r_e$$

$$Z_i = \frac{V_i}{I_i} = \frac{\beta r_e}{\left[ 1 + \frac{\beta r_e}{R_F} \left( 1 + \frac{R_c}{r_e} \right) \right]} \quad \left( 1 + \frac{R_c}{r_e} \right) \cong \frac{R_c}{r_e} \quad \left( \frac{R_c}{r_e} \gg 1 \right)$$

$$\cong \frac{\beta r_e}{\left[ 1 + \frac{\beta r_e}{R_F} \left( \frac{R_c}{r_e} \right) \right]} = \frac{\beta r_e}{1 + \frac{\beta R_c}{r_e}}$$

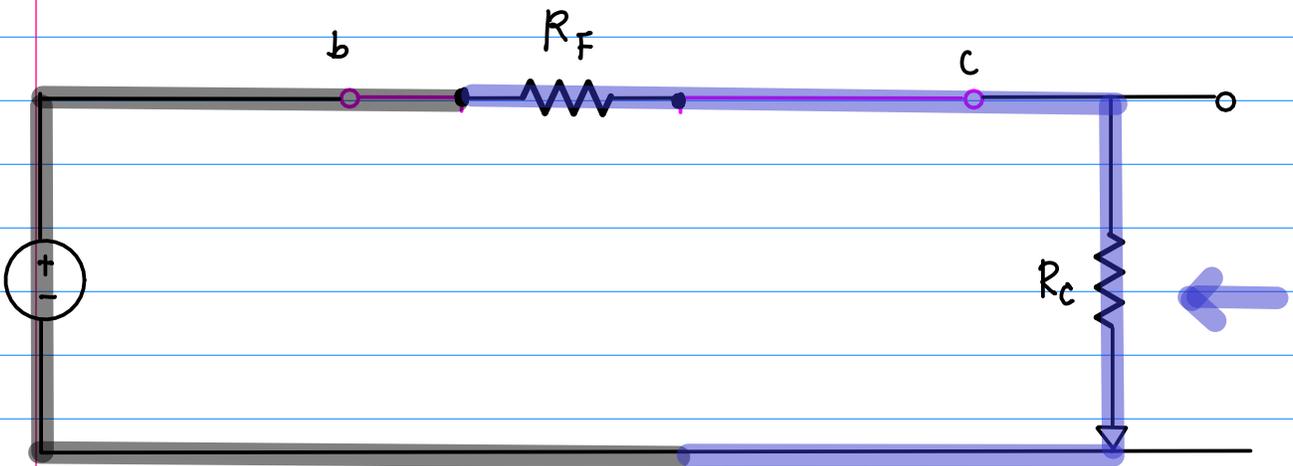
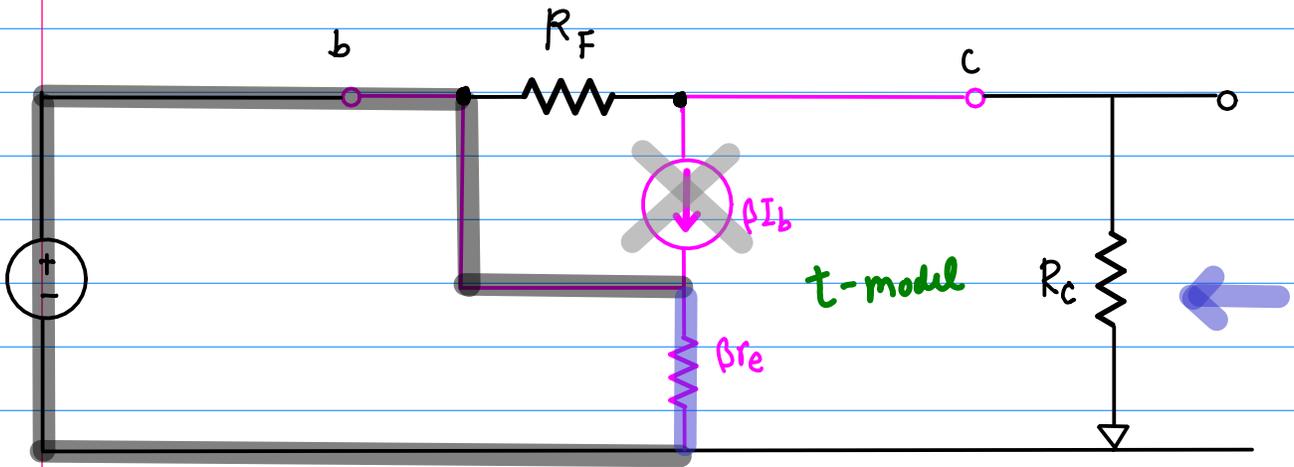
$$Z_i \cong \frac{r_e}{\frac{1}{\beta} + \frac{R_c}{r_e}}$$

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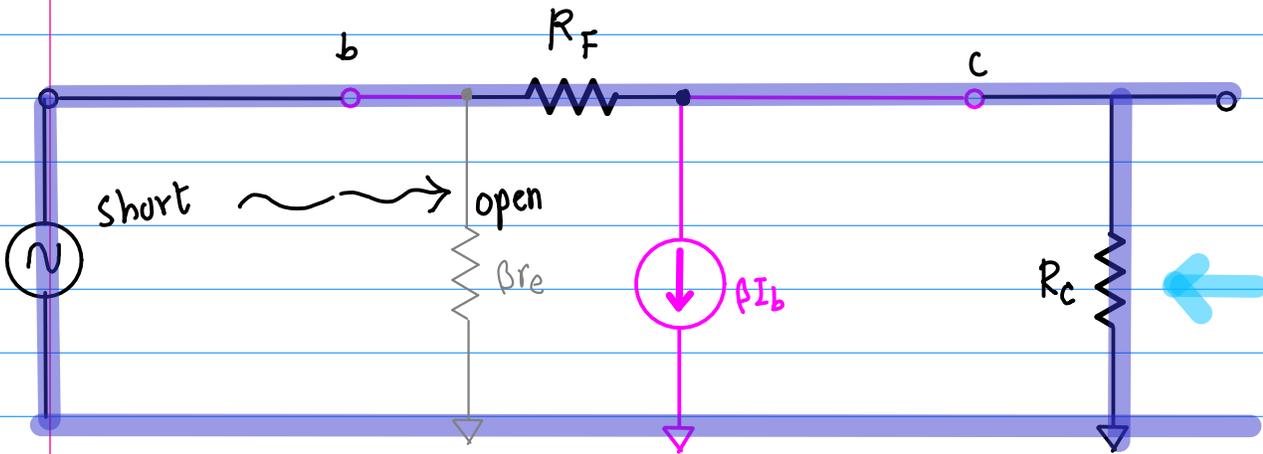
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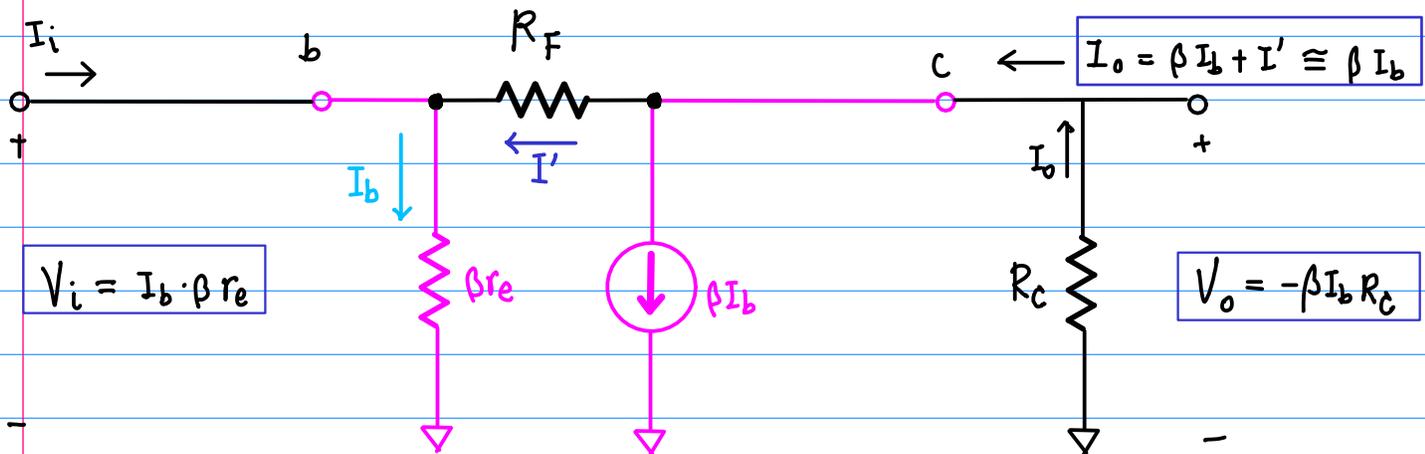


$$Z_0 = R_C \parallel R_F$$

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$$Z_o = R_C \parallel R_F$$



$$V_i = I_b \cdot \beta r_e$$

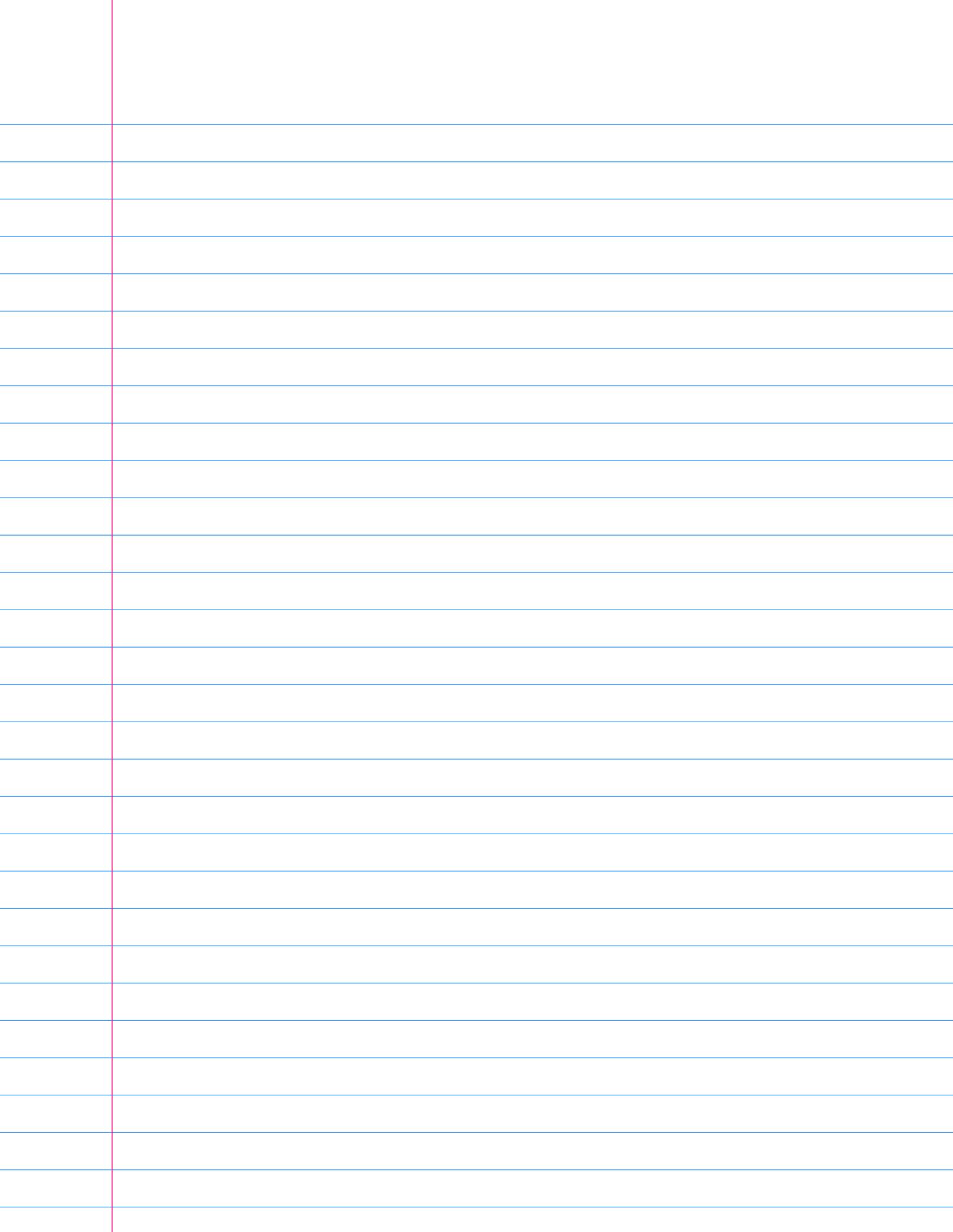
$$V_o = -\beta I_b R_C$$

$$I_o = \beta I_b + I' \cong \beta I_b$$

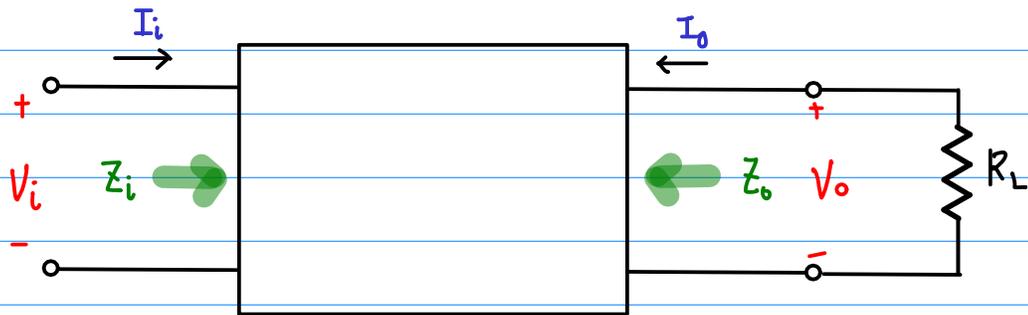
$$V_o = -\beta I_b R_C$$

$$V_i = I_b \cdot \beta r_e$$

$$A_v = \frac{V_o}{V_i} = \frac{-\beta I_b R_C}{I_b \cdot \beta r_e} = -\frac{R_C}{r_e}$$



# Current Gain



$$I_i = \frac{V_i}{Z_i}$$

$$I_o = -\frac{V_o}{R_L}$$

$$A_{iL} = \frac{I_o}{I_i} = \frac{-\frac{V_o}{R_L}}{\frac{V_i}{Z_i}} = -\frac{V_o}{V_i} \cdot \frac{Z_i}{R_L}$$

$$A_{iL} = -\frac{V_o}{V_i} \cdot \frac{Z_i}{R_L} = -A_{vL} \cdot \frac{Z_i}{R_L}$$

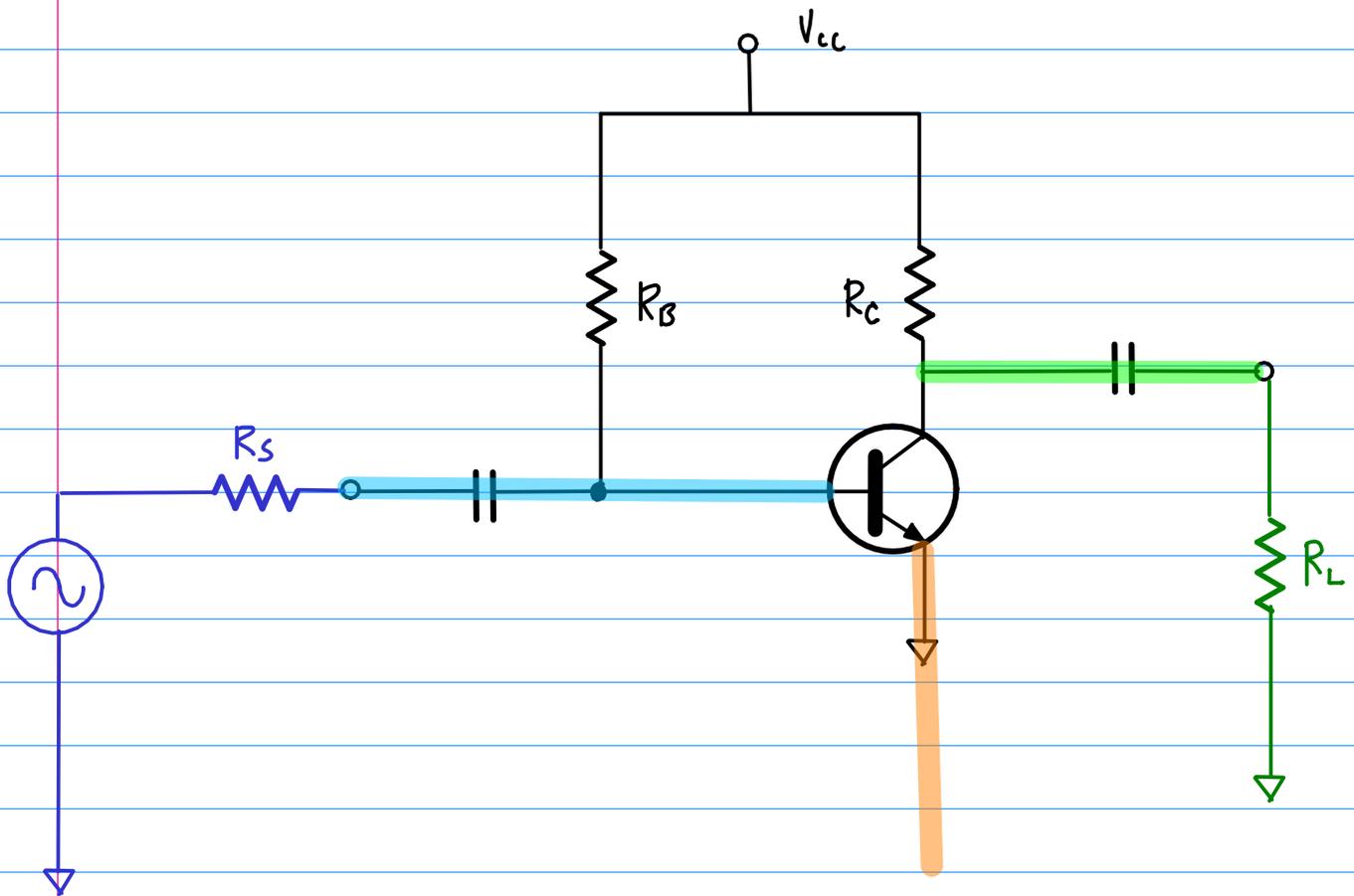
\*  $i_L, v_L$  ... with  $R_L$  load

# $R_s$ $R_L$ included

	$Z_i$	$Z_o$	$A_v$	$A_i$
1. Fixed Bias	$R_B \parallel \beta r_e$	$R_C$	$-\frac{(R_C \parallel R_L)}{r_e}$	
2. Voltage Divider Bias	$R_1 \parallel R_2 \parallel \beta r_e$	$R_C$	$-\frac{(R_C \parallel R_L)}{r_e}$	
3. Unbypass Emitter Bias	$R_1 \parallel R_2 \parallel \beta(r_e + R_E)$	$R_C$	$-\frac{(R_C \parallel R_L)}{R_E}$	
4. Emitter Follower	$R_1 \parallel R_2 \parallel \beta(r_e + R_E)$	$R_E \parallel (\frac{R_L}{\beta} + r_e)$	1	
5. Common Base	$R_E \parallel r_e$	$R_C$	$-\frac{(R_C \parallel R_L)}{r_e}$	
6. Collector Feedback	$\beta r_e \parallel \frac{R_F}{ A_v }$	$R_C$	$-\frac{(R_C \parallel R_L)}{R_E}$	

	$Z_i$	$Z_o$	$A_v$	$A_i$
1. Fixed Bias	$\beta r_e$	$R_C$	$-\frac{R_C}{r_e}$	$\beta$
2. Voltage Divider Bias	$R_1 \parallel R_2 \parallel \beta r_e$	$R_C$	$-\frac{R_C}{r_e}$	$\frac{\beta (R_1 \parallel R_2)}{R_1 \parallel R_2 + \beta r_e}$
3. Unbypass Emitter Bias	$R_B \parallel \beta R_E$	$R_C$	$-\frac{R_C}{R_E}$	$-\frac{\beta R_B}{R_B + \beta(r_e + R_E)}$
4. Emitter Follower	$R_B \parallel \beta R_E$	$r_e$	1	$-\frac{\beta R_B}{R_B + \beta(r_e + R_E)}$
5. Common Base	$r_e$	$R_C$	$\frac{R_C}{r_e}$	-1
6. Collector Feedback	$\frac{r_e}{1/\beta + R_C/R_F}$	$R_C \parallel R_F$	$-\frac{R_C}{r_e}$	$\frac{R_F}{R_C}$

# ① Fixed Bias ( $R_S, R_L$ )

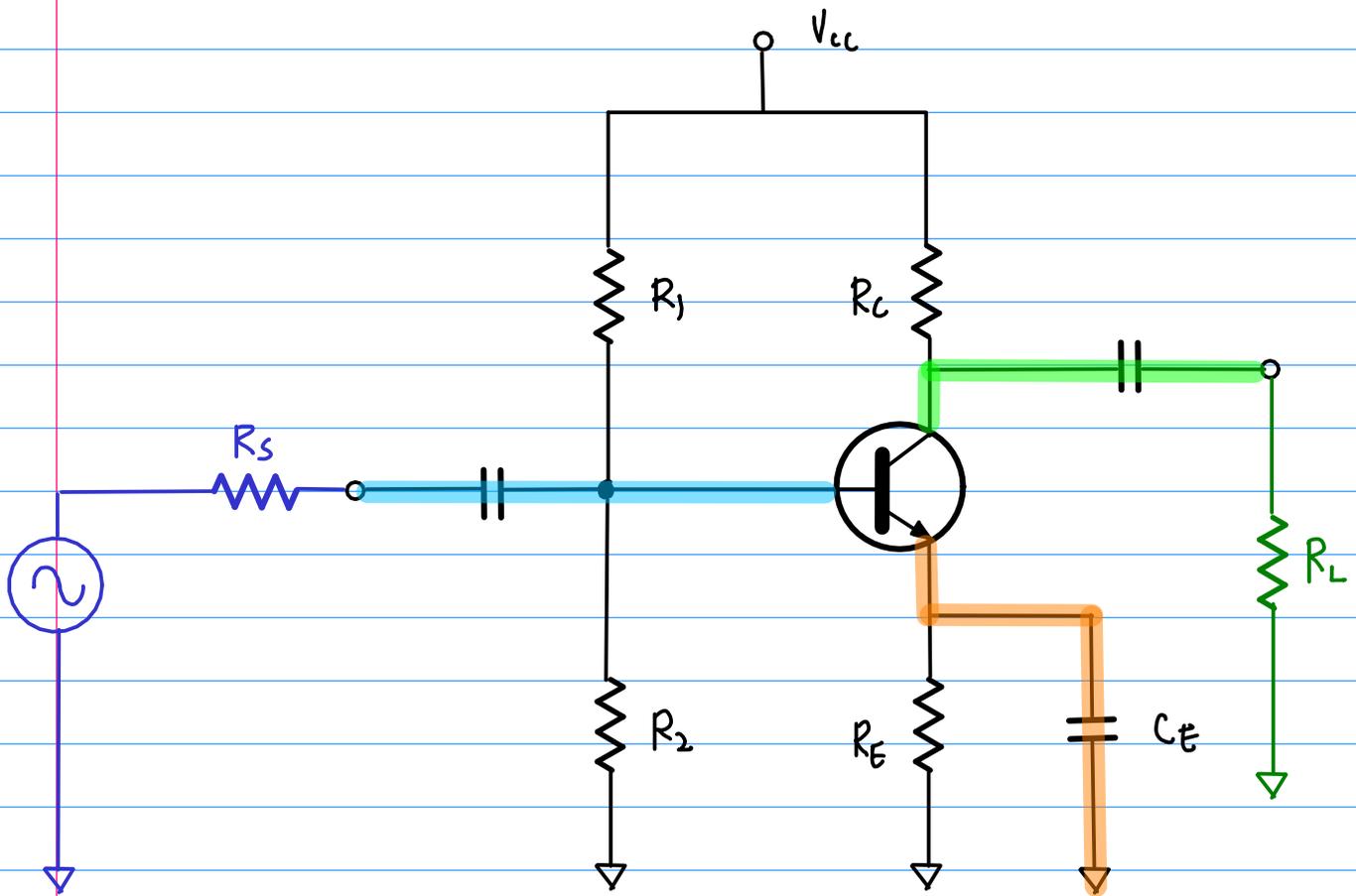


$$A_v = - \frac{(R_L \parallel R_C)}{r_e} \quad - \frac{(R_L \parallel R_C \parallel r_o)}{r_e}$$

$$Z_i = R_B \parallel \beta r_e \quad R_B \parallel \beta r_e$$

$$Z_o = R_C \quad R_C \parallel r_o$$

## ② Voltage Divider Bias ( $R_s, R_L$ )



$$A_v = - \frac{(R_L \parallel R_c)}{r_e'} \quad - \frac{(R_L \parallel R_c \parallel r_o)}{r_e'}$$

$$Z_i = R_1 \parallel R_2 \parallel \beta r_e'$$

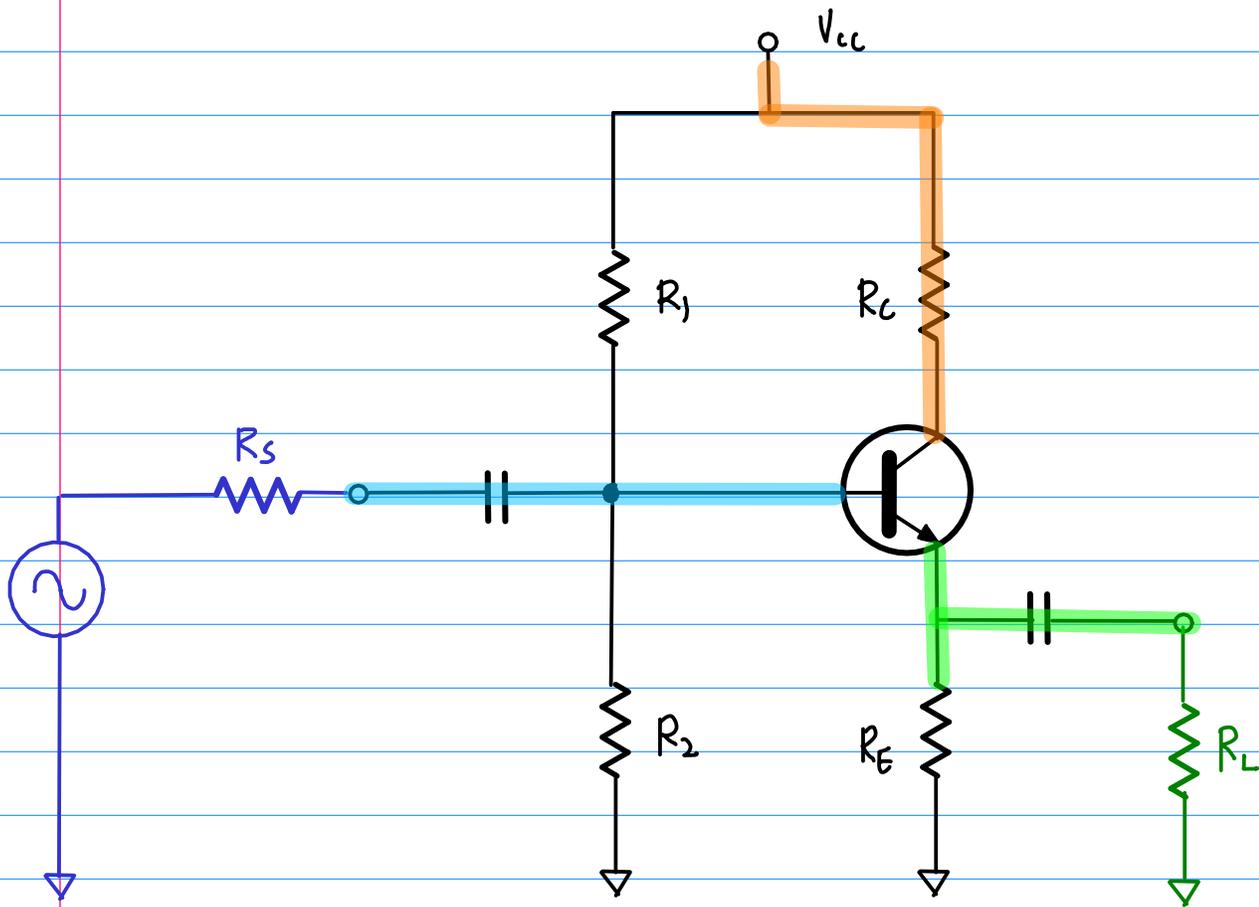
$$R_1 \parallel R_2 \parallel \beta r_e'$$

$$Z_o = R_c$$

$$R_c \parallel r_o$$

④

# Emitter Follower ( $R_s, R_L$ )



$$A_v = 1$$

$$1$$

$$Z_i = R_1 \parallel R_2 \parallel \beta (r_e' + R_L \parallel R_E)$$

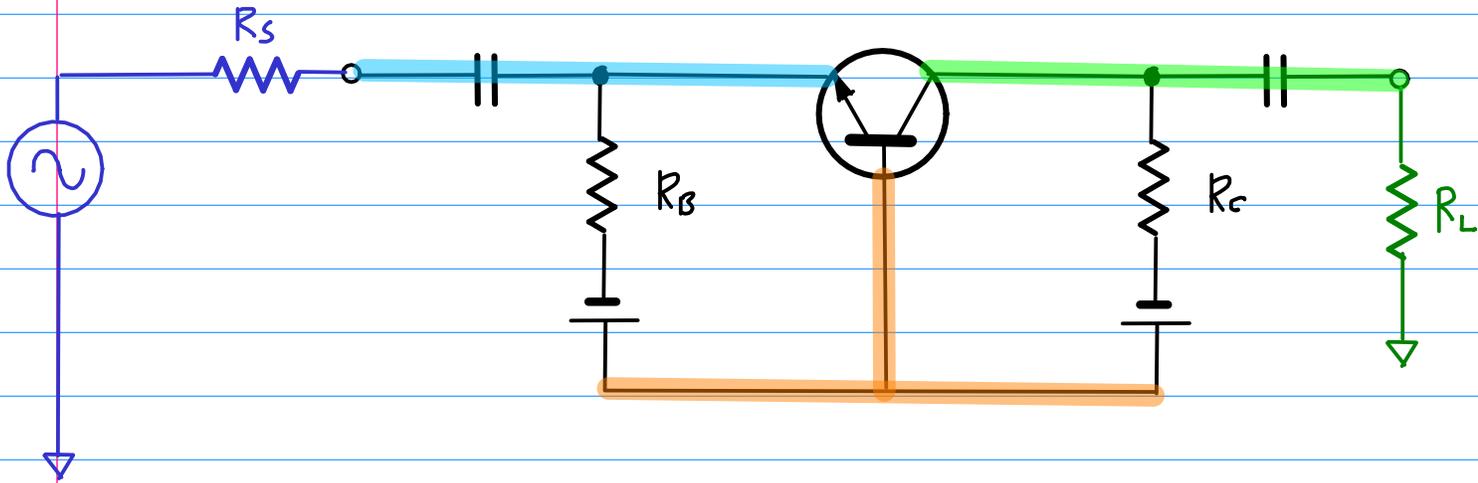
$$R_1 \parallel R_2 \parallel \beta (r_e' + R_L \parallel R_E)$$

$$Z_o = R_E \parallel \left( \frac{1}{\beta} (R_s + R_1 + R_2) + r_e' \right)$$

$$R_E \parallel \left( \frac{1}{\beta} (R_s + R_1 + R_2) + r_e' \right)$$

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# Common Base ( $R_s, R_L$ )



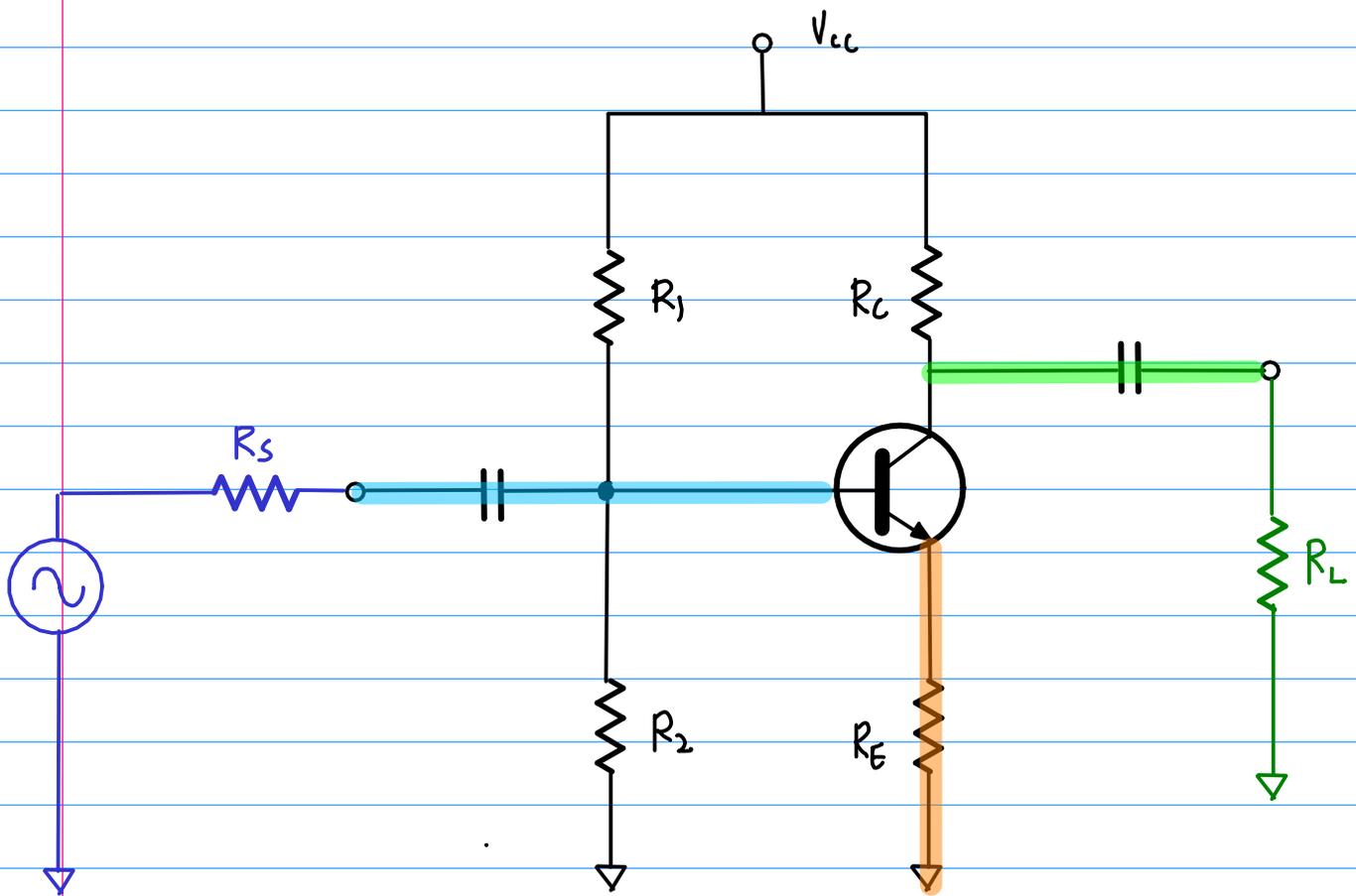
$$A_v = - \frac{(R_L \parallel R_C)}{r_e} \quad - \frac{(R_L \parallel R_C \parallel r_o)}{r_e}$$

$$Z_i = R_E \parallel r_e \quad R_E \parallel r_e$$

$$Z_o = R_C \quad R_C \parallel r_o$$

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# Unbypassed Emitter Bias ( $R_s, R_L$ )

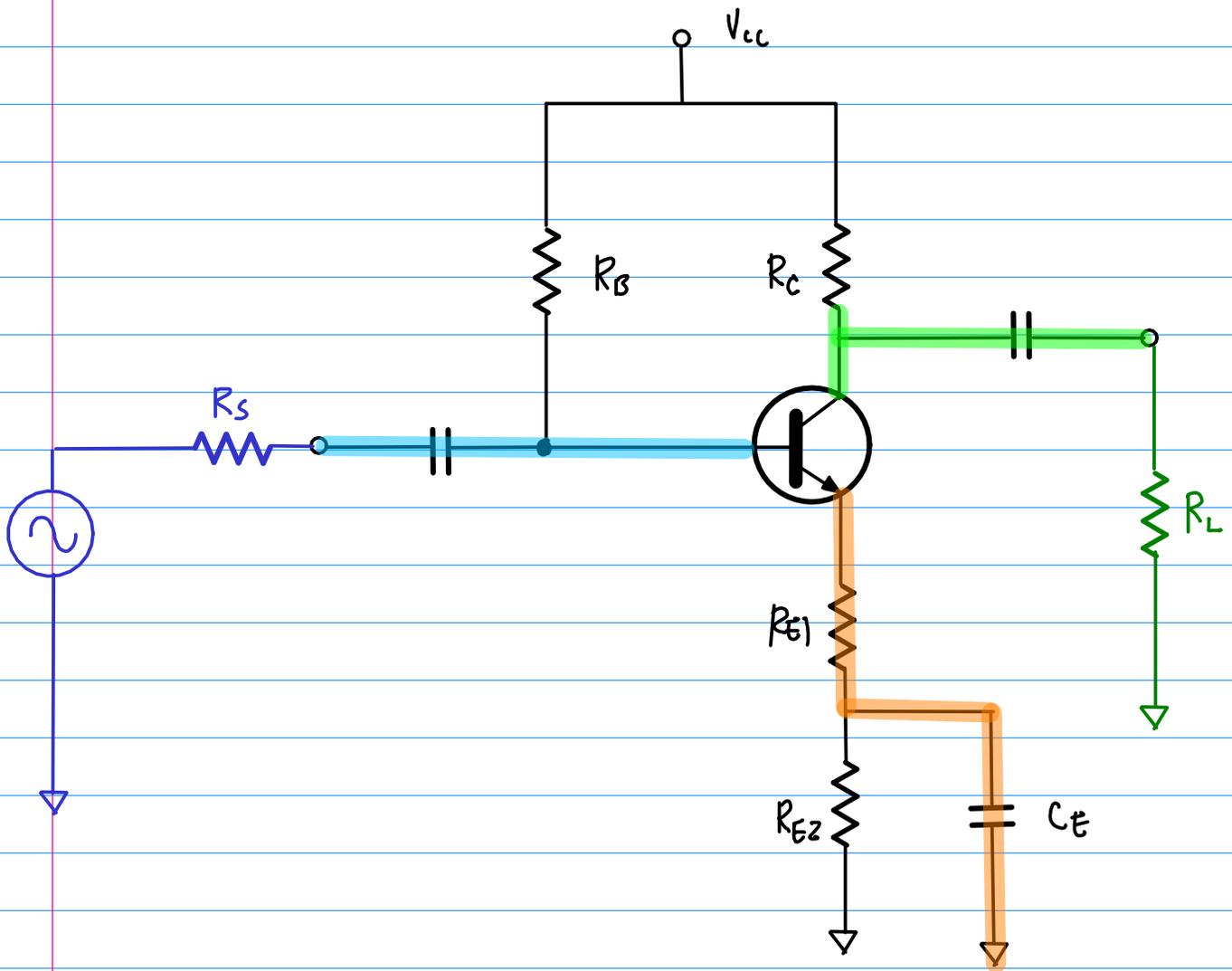


$$A_v = - \frac{(R_L \parallel R_c)}{R_E} \quad - \frac{(R_L \parallel R_c \parallel r_o)}{R_E}$$

$$Z_i = R_1 \parallel R_2 \parallel \beta (r'_e + R_E) \quad R_1 \parallel R_2 \parallel \beta (r'_e + R_E)$$

$$Z_o = R_c \quad R_c \parallel r_o$$

$(R_s, R_L)$

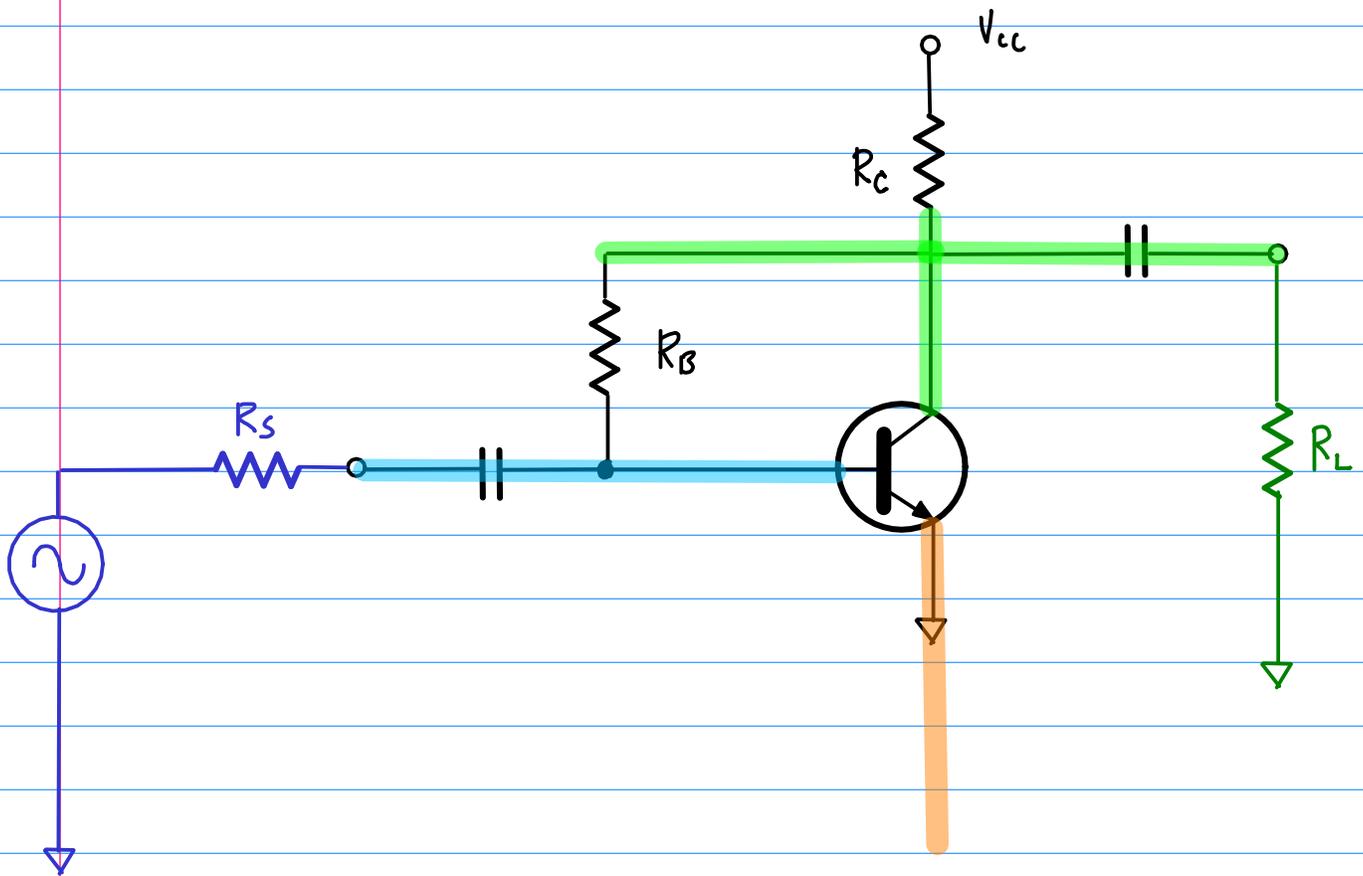


$$A_v = - \frac{(R_L \parallel R_C)}{R_{E1}} \quad - \frac{(R_L \parallel R_C \parallel r_o)}{R_{E1}}$$

$$Z_i = R_s \parallel \beta (r'_e + R_{E1}) \quad R_s \parallel \beta (r'_e + R_{E1})$$

$$Z_o = R_C \quad R_C \parallel r_o$$

# ⑥ Collector Feedback ( $R_s, R_L$ )

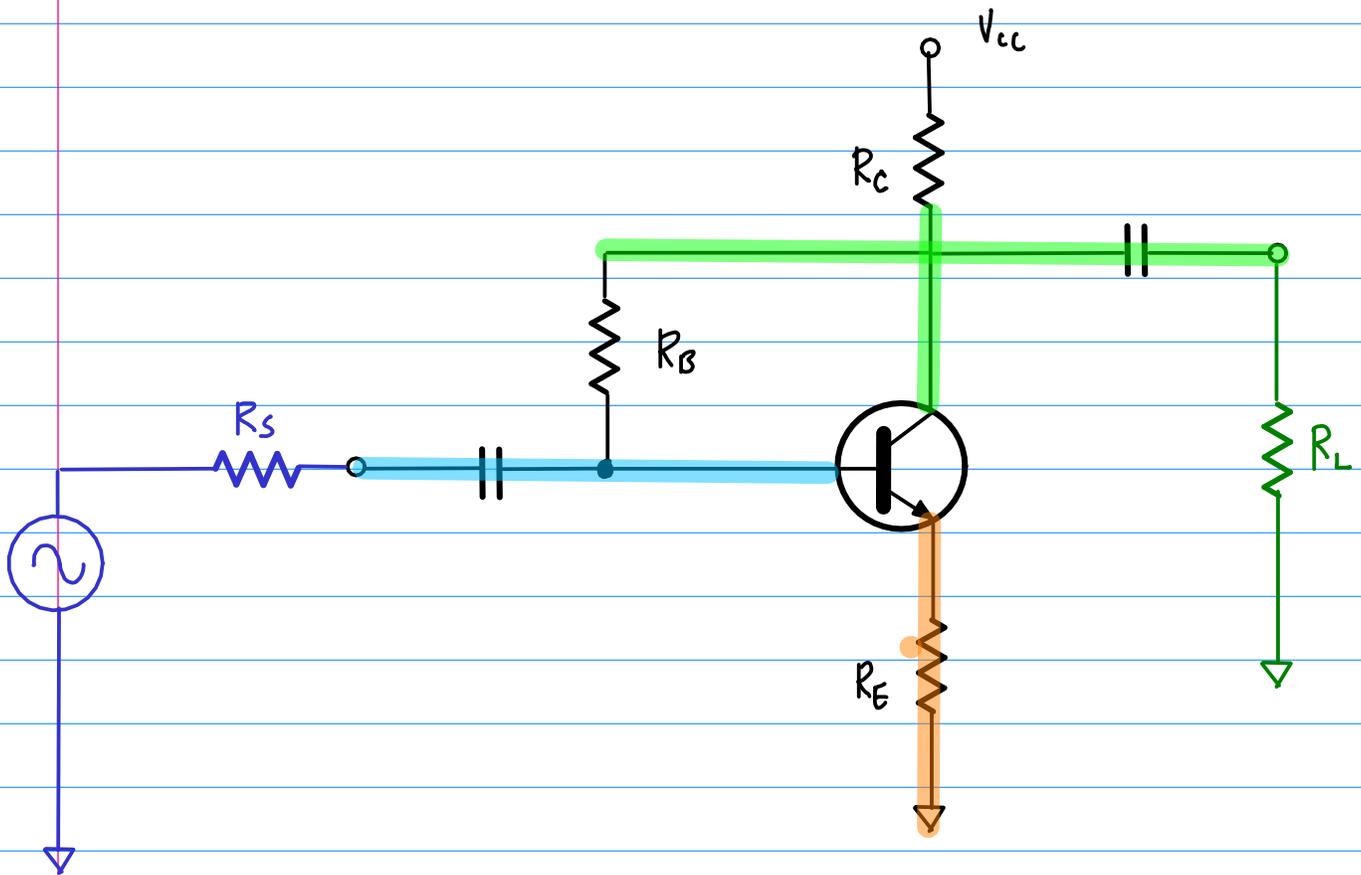


$$A_v = - \frac{(R_L \parallel R_C)}{r_e'} \quad - \frac{(R_L \parallel R_C \parallel r_o)}{r_e'}$$

$$Z_i = \beta r_e' R_F / |A_v| \quad \beta r_e' R_F / |A_v|$$

$$Z_o = R_C \quad R_C \parallel R_F \parallel r_o$$

$(R_s, R_L)$



$$A_v = - \frac{(R_L \parallel R_c)}{R_E} \qquad - \frac{(R_L \parallel R_c \parallel r_o)}{R_E}$$

$$Z_i = \beta R_E R_F / |A_v| \qquad \beta R_E R_F / |A_v|$$

$$Z_o = R_c \parallel R_F \qquad R_c \parallel R_F \parallel r_o$$

